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The Millis Town Office Building, built in honor of Lansing Millis in the year 1886, served as a railroad depot, public library and office for the Board of Selectmen when it first opened on January 1, 1887.

In 1953, the railroad having discontinued any use of the building as a depot, and having turned over any rights they had in the property, the Town voted $16,500. to renovate, remodel and repair the building for additional town office use.

In 1964, the second floor of the building was found unfit for library use as the weight of more than 12,000 books was considered a hazard. The library was moved to 28 Exchange Street until the new public library was completed.

In 94 years, the building has served the Town of Millis well, always housing a number of town departments. They have included the Police and Fire Dispatch Office, the Welfare Department, the Zoning Board of Appeals, Civil Defense, the Board of Health and Building and Wiring Inspectors.

The Lansing Millis Memorial Building, better known as the Millis Town Office Building, currently houses the Board of Selectmen, the Town Clerk's Office, the Town Bookkeeper's Office, the Planning Board and the Millis Historical Society.

The building's unique facade continues to attract historians. They question the origin of the unusual set-in-stones on the exterior of the building. Many of those stones were acquired through local donation by townspeople, while some forty stones were marked and sent by different railroads in memory of Lansing Millis and his profession.

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THE NINETY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF MILLIS

for the

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31

1980

TOWN OFFICERS

	Term Expires
MODERATOR	
John G. Dugan	1981
TOWN CLERK	
George G. Ford	1981
TREASURER	
Richard H. Aulenback	1981
TAX COLLECTOR	
Raymond C. Normandin	1981
SELECTMEN	
Hindy Rosenfeld	1981
Collins C. O'Connor	1982
Leonard J. Bateman, Jr.	1983
ASSESSORS	
Millard B. LaCroix	1981
Paul E. McCarthy	1982
Samuel J. Howie	1983
SCHOOL COMMITTEE	
Patricia M. Sjogren	1981
Thomas J. Burke, Jr., Resigned	1981
Hamed M. El-Bisi, Appointed	1981
Walter A. Alessi	1982
Edna M. Neville	1982
Robert J. Healy	1983
BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS	
Domenic E. D'Eramo	1981
Edward J. Cronin	1982
George DeAngelis	1983
BOARD OF HEALTH	
John J. Lyons	1981
Joshua Mael	1982
Joanne M. Ganley	1983
LIBRARY TRUSTEES	
Patricia B. Olstead	1981
Betty L. Temple	1982
Robert M. Morse	1983
PLANNING BOARD	
Lawrence P. McCarthy	1981
William T. Curley	1982
Alfred A. Tolley, Jr.	1983
Gerald A. Clark	1984
C. John Greco	1985

HOUSING AUTHORITY

	Term Expires
Gordon M. Westwater	1981
Joseph T. Cassidy	1983
Ethel C. Mahan	1984
Vincent J. Howley	1985
Susan D. Lang, State Appointment	1981

CONSTABLES

John Kubacki	1983
Michael H. Mushnick	1983

CHIEF OF POLICE

George J. Smith, Jr.

POLICE SERGEANTS

Frank S. Newell, Jr.
Hugh D. Mick

REGULAR POLICE OFFICERS

William F. Carlson	Albert J. Baima
David C. Egy	Joel Rosenfeld
David F. Riggs	Joseph R. Tarara
Paul E. Davis, Resigned	Roderick A. MacLeod
James M. Lovejoy	Leo J. Acerra

COMMITTEES APPOINTED BY THE MODERATOR

FINANCE COMMITTEE

George M. Coulter, Resigned	1981
John D. Menne, Appointed	1981
Carol B. Mushnick	1981
Joseph B. Fowler, Resigned	1981
Thomas Brennan, Appointed	1981
Everett D. Adams	1982
Charles A. Graham	1982
William J. Koney	1982
F. Michael O'Brien	1983
Judith Ackerman	1983
Roy C. Mitchell	1983

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

Victor Vaccaro, Resigned	1981
Gloria Green, Appointed	1981
Henry F. Iseman	1981
Robert W. Russo, Resigned	1982
Carole Kellogg	1982
Alfred J. Souza	1983

MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

Earl H. Merkle	John Kubacki
Francis X. Murphy	Robert A. Wood
Frank Morrissey	Clifford N. Jestings
Emil Lenz	James M. Willey
Martin Doliner	Kenneth Hinchliffe
Leonard Campbell	Samuel J. Howie, Jr.
August Johnson	Thomas Howie
Albert J. Baima	Paul Howie
Henry Perciaccante	Marcia Barry
Eugene Anderson	Lorraine Consoletti

APPOINTMENTS MADE BY THE SELECTMEN

	Term Expires
TOWN ACCOUNTANT	
George D. Cassidy, Jr.	1983
TOWN COUNSEL	
Harvey Weiner (Peabody & Arnold)	1981
REGISTRARS OF VOTERS	
Arthur D. Thorne	1981
Frank L. McDonough	1982
Barbara D. Wilkie	1983
PUBLIC WEIGHERS	
Aurelio DeMuzzio	1981
Joseph Venuto	1981
Joan Novicki	1981
John Tresca	1981
Robert Tresca	1981
Steven Tresca	1981
Ken Bianco	1981
FENCE VIEWERS	
Emil Verderber	1981
Louis DeAngelis	1981
Herbert Stevens	1981
SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND LUMBER	
William F. Whelan	1981
Philip A. Bianchi	1981
BUILDING INSPECTOR	
William F. Whelan	1983
Philip A. Bianchi, Alternate	1981
DOG OFFICER	
John G. Cassidy	1981
Edward Thatcher, Deputy	1981
WIRE INSPECTOR	
Tauno O. Aalto, Sr.	1981
Edward Maher, Deputy	1981

	Term Expires
DIRECTOR OF VETERANS SERVICES	
Philip J. Gavin	1981
VETERANS GRAVES OFFICER	
Philip J. Gavin	1981
ANIMAL INSPECTOR	
Joshua Mael	1981
FIELD DRIVER	
Joshua Mael	1981
FOREST WARDEN	
Robert A. Volpicelli, Sr.	1981
CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR	
Manning Doliner	1981
CIVIL DEFENSE COMMUNICATION OFFICER	
Kenneth Jones	1981
Charles Levine, Alternate	1981
John Cortelli, Alternate	1981
Richard Dougans, Alternate	1981
Herman Downing, Alternate	1981
John Kerns, Alternate	1981
Julius Rosen, Alternate	1981
SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES	
John P. McDonald	1981
INSECT PEST CONTROL SUPERINTENDENT	
John Joyce	1981
DESIGNEE TO NORFOLK ADVISORY BOARD	
Charles Levine	1981
MAPC REPRESENTATIVE	
Domenic D'Eramo	1981
HAZARDOUS WASTE COORDINATOR	
Edward Cronin	1981
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS	
Wayne L. Hansen	1981
Malcolm Y. MacKinnon, Sr.	1982
Earl C. Rhyne	1983
Edward P. Nobrega, Associate Member	1981
Warren B. MacInnes, Associate Member	1981
CONSERVATION COMMISSION	
Meriel N. Hardin, Resigned	1981
Raymond Otis, Appointed	1981
Dr. Durwood B. Rowley	1981
Lawrence J. Bergen	1982
John Minnucci	1982
Robert M. Morse	1983
Terrence H. Cassidy	1983
Fred B. Fettig	1983

	Term Expires
DRAINAGE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE	
Charles C. Ellis	1981
Louis DeAngelis	1981
Herbert P. Stevens, Jr.	1981
JOINT REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVE	
Domenic E. D'Eramo	1981
COUNCIL ON AGING	
Ethel Mahan	1981
Horace V. Balkam	1981
John T. Thonet	1981
Rev. Crawford F. Coombes, Jr.	1982
Helen Ackroyd	1982
Roy Mitchell	1983
Helen A. Daley	1983
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION	
Philip Harcovitz	1981
Samuel J. Howie, Sr.	1982
Thomas P. Murphy	1982
Bernard Lewis	1983
John P. Glynn	1984
Douglas E. Steeves	1985
Philip A. Bianchi	1985
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCING AUTHORITY	
George D. Cassidy, Jr.	1981
Richard Young	1982
George Coulter	1983
William T. Curley	1984
John J. Roddy	1985
HISTORICAL COMMISSION	
John E. Murphy	1981
Shirley English	1981
Elinore E. Cole	1982
George G. Ford	1982
Craig Lichman	1983
Barbara B. Dawson	1983
Jacqueline Graci	1983
RECREATION COMMITTEE	
Marsha Collins	1981
Carol Collins	1981
Elizabeth Davis	1981
Sheryl Lajoie	1981
Myrna Fish	1981
John Diatelevi	1981
William Johnson	1981

	Term Expires
INSURANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE	
Theodore Dombrowski	1981
Pasquale Vaccaro	1982
William Curley	1982
John Purkis	1983
David J. Risko	1983
CIVIL DEFENSE COMMISSION	
Manning Doliner	1981
Herman Downing	1981
Gerald Zundell	1981
ENERGY CONSERVATION COMMISSION	
Samuel J. Howie, Sr.	1981
Tauno O. Aalto, Sr.	1981
Nicholas Costantino	1981
MAPC TECHNICAL GRANT DOWNTOWN STUDY COMMITTEE	
John Koza	1981
Edward Chisholm	1981
Lawrence McCarthy	1981
Lois Hultzman	1981
William Dean	1981
Joseph Fowler (Ex-Officio)	1981
ARTS COUNCIL	
Jacqueline Graci	May 31, 1982
Mary Anne Andrey	May 31, 1982
Ingrid Elofson	May 31, 1982
Robert Morse	May 31, 1982
Patricia Iseman	May 31, 1982
WRRC INTOWN ADVISORY COMMITTEE	
Dr. Hamid El-Bisi, School Committee	1981
Hindy Rosenfeld, Selectman	1981
Edward Cronin, Board of Public Works	1981
Joshua Mael, Board of Health	1981
Dr. Durwood Rowley, Conservation Commission	1981
Joseph Fowler, Finance Committee	1981
Russell Chamberlain	1981
CABLE TV ADVISORY BOARD	
Julius Rosen	1981
Gerald Zundell	1981
Robert Provost, Sr.	1981
Clyde Nickerson	1981
Frank Gubala	1981
SCHOOL TRAFFIC POLICE OFFICERS	
Elizabeth Carlson	1981
Elizabeth DeAngelis	1981
Helen R. Kubacki	1981
Dorothy Santos	1981

LOCKUP KEEPER

	Term Expires
Herbert Bennett	1981

HONORARY SPECIAL POLICE OFFICER

Horace V. Balkam

SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS EMT

John Carroll
Norman Bartony
Robert A. Volpicelli, Jr.
David Frankina
John Thurston

SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS

Thomas Ward
Doris Foster
Lawrence Brackett
Edward P. Kerwin, Sr.
Elizabeth Carlson
Robert Dixon
H. Robert Yeager
Helen Kubacki
Elizabeth DeAngelis
Dorothy Santos
Manning Doliner
Henry Perciaccante
Robert Daly
George Demery
Edward P. Kerwin, Jr.
William Johnson
John R. Ryan

SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS FOR DESIGNATED WORK ONLY AS SPECIFIED

Building Inspections	William F. Whelan, Philip A. Bianchi
Wire Inspections	Tauno Aalto, Sr., Edward Maher
Field Driver and Animal Inspection	Joshua Mael
Plumbing Inspections	Thomas Frasca, Henry V. McCarthy
DPW Work	Robert Leslie, Edward LaCroix, John Joyce
Dog Officer Work	John Cassidy
Disposal Area Work	Zygmunt Lewandowski
Fire Department Work	Robert A. Volpicelli, Sr.
Constable Work	John Kubacki, Michael H. Mushnick

SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS FOR COURT PURPOSES

Bertran Guerin, Bellingham
Edward O'Malley, Foxboro
Thomas Kirrane, Foxboro
Edgar Peavey, Plainville
Warren Pettit, Franklin
Charles Perry, Wrentham
Mark Dalton, Walpole
James Donahue, Walpole
Richard Stillman, Walpole
Robert Fuller, Foxboro Court Officer
Harvey Clark, Foxboro Court Officer

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Chief: Robert A. Volpicelli, Sr.
Deputy Chief: Edward P. Kerwin, Sr.
Captain: Manning Doliner
Lieutenants: Robert Healy, William Broderick, Clifford P. Burnett

FIREFIGHTERS

John Carroll
Robert Dixon
Warren Champagne
Thomas Smith
Edward LaCroix
Stephen Fosdick
Michael Mahan
Norman Bartony
David Frankina
David Egy
Robert Daly
John Thurston
Christopher Caldwell
George J. Smith, Jr.
Robert A. Volpicelli, Jr.
Philip Smith
George Demery
John Wenger
Thomas Radcliffe
David Riggs
Thomas Ward
Stephen Barnard
Paul Cudak
Stephen Campbell, Jr.
Edward Clifford
Robert Fairbanks

ELECTION OFFICERS

Wardens	Wayne L. Hansen
	Susan D. Lang
Deputy Wardens	C. John Greco
	James W. Murphy
Clerks	Robert W. McDonough
	Carol B. Mushnick
Deputy Clerks	Louise Fay
	Barbara Hansen

APPOINTMENTS MADE BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH

Agents	Joanne M. Ganley
	John J. Lyons
	Joshua Mael
Milk Inspector	Philip J. Gavin
Burial Agent	George G. Ford
Asst. Burial Agent	Roma L. Curran
Plumbing and Gas Inspector	Thomas Frasca
Deputy Plumbing and Gas Inspector	Henry V. McCarthy

APPOINTMENTS MADE BY THE TOWN CLERK

Assistant Town Clerk — Roma L. Curran

TRI-COUNTY REGIONAL VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

	Term Expires
Robert W. McDonough	June 30, 1981

RESULTS OF THE VOTES CAST
PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY
MARCH 4, 1980

	Precinct I	Precinct II	Total
Democratic			
PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE			
Jimmy Carter	145	193	338
Edmund G. Brown, Jr.	17	21	38
Edward M. Kennedy	328	412	740
No Preference	7	8	15
Philip Crane	1	0	1
John Anderson	1	1	2
Blanks	7	2	9
STATE COMMITTEE MAN			
Arthur M. Tiernan, Jr.	326	357	683
Blanks	180	280	460
STATE COMMITTEE WOMAN			
Cynthia Anne Kelly	175	243	418
Barbara A. Doyle	176	209	385
Blanks	155	185	340
TOWN COMMITTEE			
James Clancy	4	14	18
Thomas S. Lydon	22	18	40
Joseph Cassidy	13	12	25
Katherine M. O'Rourke	23	13	36
George W. Duhamel	3	6	9
Lorraine A. Consoletti	29	19	48
George D. Clancy	19	12	31
Francis X. Spinoza	4	10	14
Thomas Joseph Moran	7	10	17
Henry V. McCarthy	7	2	9
Paul T. Clancy	7	10	17
Robert W. McDonough	12	9	21
Terrence H. Cassidy	14	12	26
Daniel L. Murphy	16	20	36
Daniel C. Collins, Jr.	10	5	15
Paul E. McCarthy	12	6	18
Narcissa S. Ingraham	5	9	14
Susan D. Lang	30	15	45
Philip Lang	22	12	34
James B. White, Jr.	10	6	16
William J. Christian	4	5	9
Robert E. Brodeur	7	12	19
Thomas P. Murphy	30	29	59

	Precinct I	Precinct II	Total
TOWN COMMITTEE (Cont.)			
Frank L. McDonough	14	11	25
Paul W. Gavin	9	10	19
Norma Joyce	9	5	14
Joseph Fay, Jr.	13	7	20
Lawrence McCarthy	14	9	23
Charles Cotton	6	1	7
Scattering	31	36	67
Blanks	5964	4715	10679

Republican

PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE			
John B. Anderson	63	124	187
Howard H. Baker	15	27	42
George H. Bush	82	133	215
John B. Connally	2	1	3
Ronald W. Reagan	78	110	188
Robert J. Dole	0	0	0
Benjamin Fernandez	0	0	0
Harold Stassen	0	0	0
Philip M. Crane	7	3	10
No Preference	0	0	0
Gerald Ford	4	10	14
Blanks	3	2	5
STATE COMMITTEE MAN			
Fredrick O. J. Muzi	54	75	129
Thomas B. St. Clair	23	45	68
Dudley H. Willis	106	187	293
Blanks	71	103	174
STATE COMMITTEE WOMAN			
Virginia E. Hillman	67	87	154
Alice L. Morrison	106	198	304
Blanks	81	125	206
TOWN COMMITTEE			
Wayne Hansen	10	22	32
Barbara Hansen	9	21	30
Ingrid Elofson	9	17	26
Harold Curran	10	15	25
Doris Stevens	6	18	24
Susan Lockett	9	13	22
Carol Mushnick	11	10	21
Grace Gibbs	6	9	15
John Greco	3	12	15
Carole Greco	2	12	14

TOWN COMMITTEE (Cont.)	Precinct I	Precinct II	Total
Michael Mushnick	7	6	13
James Reger	5	8	13
Kelly Costa	4	5	9
Joanna Stoskus	2	6	8
Helen Heath	5	1	6
Scattering	15	6	21
Blanks	2423	3923	6346

RESULTS OF THE VOTES CAST AT THE ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

TOWN OF MILLIS

MAY 5, 1980

Moderator, One Year	Precinct I	Precinct II	Total
John G. Dugan	510	748	1258
All Others	0	1	1
Blanks	128	170	298
Assessor, Three Years			
Samuel J. Howie	520	745	1265
Blanks	118	174	292
Selectman, Three Years			
Leonard J. Bateman, Jr.	350	522	872
Alfred J. Souza	269	377	546
All Others	1	0	1
Blanks	18	20	38
School Committee, Three Years			
Hamed M. El-Bisi	234	351	585
Robert J. Healy	385	546	931
Blanks	19	22	41
Library Trustee, Three Years			
Robert M. Morse	490	707	1197
Blanks	148	212	360
Planning Board, Two Years			
William Curley	382	467	849
Peter D. Dewey	226	406	632
Blanks	30	46	76
Planning Board, Five Years			
C. John Greco	437	621	1058
All Others	0	1	1
Blanks	201	297	498

	Precinct I	Precinct II	Total
Board of Health, Three Years			
Joanne M. Ganley	472	667	1139
All Others	1	0	1
Blanks	165	252	417
Housing Authority, Four Years			
Ethel C. Mahan	465	644	1109
Blanks	173	275	448
Housing Authority, Five Years			
Vincent J. Howley	469	634	1103
Blanks	169	285	454
Board of Public Works, Three Years			
George DeAngelis	503	694	1197
All Others	1	1	2
Blanks	134	224	358
Constables, Three Years			
John Kubacki, Sr.	467	637	1104
Michael H. Mushnick	344	507	851
All Others	8	0	8
Blanks	457	694	1151
Question No. 1			
Shall the town vote to accept the provisions of section thirteen of chapter two hundred and fifty-eight of the General Laws which provides that the town shall indemnify and save harmless municipal officers, elected or appointed, from personal financial loss and expense including reasonable legal fees and costs, if any, in an amount not to exceed one million dollars, arising out of any claim, demand, suit or judgment by reason of any act or omission except an intentional violation of civil rights of any person under any law, if the official at the time of such act or omission was acting within the scope of his official duties or employment?			
Yes	407	574	981
No	114	175	289
Blanks	117	170	287

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Millis, Massachusetts

MONDAY, MAY 12, 1980

A Special Town Meeting of the Town of Millis, Massachusetts was held on Monday, May 12, 1980, in the Junior-Senior High School auditorium.

The Town Warrant calling this business meeting was signed by Selectmen Hindy Rosenfeld and Collins C. O'Connor and was posted on April 26, 1980 by John Kubacki, Constable, in accordance with the by-laws of the Town of Millis.

Voting List Inspectors: Mary M. Germano, Ingrid Elofson, Rose S. Robinson, Madelene Thumith

Tellers appointed and sworn in by the Moderator:
Stephen P. Barnard, Joseph M. Kerwin, Bradley W. Calnan, Charles F. Sinatra, Jr., Edward P. Kerwin, Jr.

At 7:28 p.m. the Moderator asked that the Tellers take a count of the voters in the hall. The quorum necessary for this meeting is 190, the count showed 170 voters present.

At 7:42 a count taken of the voters present showed 175 voters in the hall.

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien, Finance Committee Chairman, to recess the Special Town Meeting until completion of Article 3 in the Annual Town Meeting Warrant.

VOTED to recess the Special Town Meeting until completion of Article 3 in the Annual Town Meeting Warrant.

At 8:31 p.m., Article 3 having been completed, a count was taken by the Tellers which showed 219 voters present.

The Special Town Meeting was called to order by the Moderator, John G. Dugan, at 8:34 p.m.

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that the reading of the Warrant and the return of the service thereof be omitted.

VOTED that the reading of the Warrant and the return of the service thereof be omitted.

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate an additional sum of money for the construction of an addition to, and renovation of, the present Main Street Police and Fire Station and appurtenances, to determine whether said money shall be provided by taxation, transfer from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, and to authorize the Main Street Police and Fire Station Building Committee to accept and expend all available State and Federal Funds therefor, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that the Town appropriate and transfer from the Tri-County Regional Vocational School District account the sum of $25,000.00 for the construction of an addition to, and renovation of, the present Main Street Police and Fire Station and appurtenances and to authorize the Main Street Police and Fire Station Building Committee to accept and expend any or all available State and Federal and transferred funds.

AMENDED MOTION made by Mr. Henry J. Lewandowski that the Town appropriate and transfer from the Tri-County Regional Vocational School District account the sum of $17,700.00.

By VOICE VOTE the Amended Motion was not Carried.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and transfer from the Tri-County Regional Vocational School District account the sum of $25,000.00 for the construction of an addition to, and renovation of, the present Main Street Police and Fire Station and appurtenances and to authorize the Main Street Police and Fire Station Building Committee to accept and expend any or all available State and Federal and transferred funds.

The Warrant being dissolved, on a Motion of Mr. Michael O'Brien, it was Voted to adjourn at 8:53 p.m.

Attest:

TOWN CLERK

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MILLIS, MASSACHUSETTS
MONDAY, MAY 12, 1980

The Annual Business Meeting of the Town of Millis, Massachusetts was held Monday evening, May 12, 1980, in the Junior-Senior High School auditorium and was called to order by the Moderator, John G. Dugan, at 7:45 p.m.

The Town Warrant calling this business meeting was signed by Selectmen Hindy Rosenfeld and Collins C. O'Connor and was posted on April 26, 1980 by John Kubacki, Constable, in accordance with the by-laws of the Town of Millis.

Voting List Inspectors: Mary M. Germano, Ingrid Elofson, Rose S. Robinson, Madelene Thumith

Tellers appointed and sworn in by the Moderator:

Stephen P. Barnard, Joseph M. Kerwin, Bradley W. Calnan, Charles F. Sinatra, Jr., Edward P. Kerwin, Jr.

The invocation was given by Rev. Francis W. Beksha, St. Thomas Church.

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien, Finance Committee Chairman, that the reading of the Warrant and return of the service thereof be omitted.

VOTED that the reading of the Warrant and return of the service thereof be omitted.

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that the Moderator be granted unanimous consent to omit the reading of the articles and refer to them under numbers and subject matter.

VOTED that the Moderator be granted unanimous consent to omit the reading of the articles and refer to them under numbers and subject matter.

ARTICLES 1 and 2 were acted on at the Annual Town Election.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to adopt amendments to Schedule "A" Classification Plan; Schedule "B" Salary Plan; Schedule "C" Employee Benefits, as outlined in the Personnel Committee Report, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that the Town adopt amendments to Schedule "A" Classification Plan; Schedule "B" Salary Plan; Schedule "C" Employee Benefits, as outlined in the Personnel Committee Report dated April 1, 1980.

REPORT OF THE PERSONNEL COMMITTEE
April 1, 1980
SCHEDULE A – CLASSIFICATION PLAN
SCHEDULE B – SALARY PLAN

Grade	Classification	Minimum	Maximum	Step
	GROUP I – POLICE DEPARTMENT			
P11-13	Sergeant	328.51/wk.	350.41/wk.	10.95
P 8-10	Police Officer	277.40/wk.	306.53/wk.	14.59
PD	Police Detective	Annual Stipend $300/yr. flat		
IO	Identification Officer	5.00/wk. flat		
PPD	Police Paid Detail	9.00/hr. flat – 4 hr. minimum		
P6	Special Police	5.82/hr. flat		
PS	School Traffic Officer	75.00/wk.		
PFACD	Police-Fire-Ambulance Clerk Dispatcher	5.21/hr.	5.83/hr.	.31
	Ambulance Duty	A flat rate of $7.00 per hour will be paid to persons operating the ambulance 2 hour minimum – except police officers on duty, who will be paid their regular rate of pay.		
	Court Time:	Police Officers attending court, with the approval of the Chief, will be paid their regular rate of pay. (3 hour minimum)		
	Night Differential:	A flat rate of $1.50 per night will be paid to all police officers who are regularly assigned to the night shift between the hours of 3:00 p.m. and through 6:00 a.m. with the		

approval of the Chief of Police. Such differential is not to be included in the compensation of any overtime payment.

EMTC	E.M.T. Coordinator	100/yr. flat

Grade	Classification	Minimum	Maximum	Step
NREMT	Ambulance, full time and special police officers who have received and been certified as of July 1, 1980 and retain EMT-A certification from the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians will receive an annual stipend of $250.00.			

GROUP II – DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien, which was VOTED, to Amend Group II – Department of Public Works – Schedule B – Salaries as follows:

DPW 11	General Foreman	6.85/hr.	7.42/hr.	.19
DPWM 7-10	Working Foreman & Laborer	6.04/hr.	6.61/hr.	.19
DPWM 1- 3	Motor Equipment Repairman and Laborer	6.04/hr.	6.61/hr.	.19
DPW HEO	Heavy Equipment Operator and Laborer	5.43/hr.	6.00/hr.	.19
DPW TP	Treatment Plant Operator and Laborer	5.43/hr.	6.00/hr.	.19
DPW LEO	Light Equipment Operator and Laborer	5.25/hr.	5.82/hr.	.19
DPW DC	Dump Caretaker and Laborer	5.15/hr.	5.72/hr.	.19
DPW 3-6	Laborer	5.15/hr.	5.72/hr.	.19
DPW 2	Sewerage Treatment Plant Attendant and Laborer	5.17/hr. flat		
DPW 1	Part Time Laborer	3.27/hr. flat		

Water Standby: A flat rate of $12.50 per day will be paid to assigned personnel or time and one half the regular rate of pay for hours worked.

GROUP III – FIRE DEPARTMENT

F5	Chief	2,810/yr. plus 5.82/hr.*
F4	Deputy Chief	800/yr. plus 5.82/hr.
F3	Captain	500/yr. plus 5.82/hr.
F2	Lieutenant	400/yr. plus 5.82/hr.
F1	Firefighter	300/yr. plus 5.82/hr.**

*Hourly rate for firefighting time only.
**Plus annual stipend of $250.00 for 8 firefighters who receive and retain EMT certification from National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians.

Grade	Classification	Minimum	Maximum	Step
	GROUP IV – TOWN ADMINISTRATION			
AA 5-8	Administration Assistant (Office of Selectmen)	223.79/wk.	249.21/wk.	8.47
AA 1-4	Administration Clerk	195.97/wk.	217.74/wk.	7.26
ASBO 1-4	Senior Bookkeeping Machine Operator	195.97/wk.	217.74/wk.	7.26
ASCS 1-4	Senior Clerk Stenographer	176.61/wk.	197.01/wk.	6.80
ASC 1-4	Senior Clerk	3.68/hr.	4.25/hr.	.19
ACT 1-4	Clerk Typist	3.27/hr.	3.72/hr.	.15
AEW	Election Worker	3.33/hr. flat		
ACT	Census Taker	3.33/hr. flat		
AC	Custodian	4.11/hr. flat		
	PART TIME CLERICAL FOR TOWN BOARDS AND/OR ELECTED OFFICIALS AND/OR APPOINTED SPECIALS			
PTC3 1-3	Clerk/Stenographer	4.18/hr.	4.75/hr.	.19
PTC2 1-3	Senior Clerk	3.68/hr.	4.25/hr.	.19
PTC1 1-3	Clerk Typist	3.27/hr.	3.72/hr.	.15
	GROUP V – LIBRARY			
L 6-12	Librarian-in-Charge	198.87/wk.	238.43/wk.	7.91
L 1-5	Assistant Librarian	3.95/hr.	5.00/hr.	.26
CL 1-4	Children's Librarian	3.64/hr.	4.43/hr.	.26
SLA 2-5	Senior Library Assistant	3.54/hr.	3.96/hr.	.14
LAB 1-4	Library Assistant	3.27/hr.	3.59/hr.	.11
LP	Page	3.27/hr. flat		
	GROUP VI – BOARD OF HEALTH NURSING SERVICE			
NS 1-4	Nursing Supervisor Visiting Nurse	7.25/hr.	8.26/hr.	.34
RN-PPT 1-4	Staff R.N. – Permanent/ Part Time	5.75/hr.	6.54/hr.	.26
RN-OC	Registered Nurse – On Call	1.25/hr. flat		
	GROUP VII – TOWN CLERK			
AATC 1-4	Administrative Assistant (Town Clerk's Office)	195.97/wk.	217.74/wk.	7.26
	GROUP VIII – APPOINTED SPECIALS			
DVS	Director of Veterans Services	2,848/yr. flat		
BI	Building Inspector	2,532/yr. Plus ½ of building fees collected in excess of $1000 per fiscal year.		
BID	Deputy Building Inspector	527/yr.		

Grade	Classification	Minimum	Maximum	Step
PGI	Plumbing & Gas Inspector	1,160/yr	Plus ½ of inspection fees collected in excess of $600 per fiscal year.	
DPGI	Deputy Plumbing & Gas Inspector	127/yr.		
AI	Animal Inspector	380/yr.	flat	
DO	Dog Officer	8,440/yr.	flat including Deputy	
DDO	*Deputy Dog Officer			
BR	Board of Registrars	480/yr.	flat	
FW	Forest Warden	148/yr.	flat	
SWM	Sealer Weights & Measures	169/yr.	flat	
WI	Wiring Inspector	517/yr.	Plus $7.00/permit/fire call	
DWI	Deputy Wiring Inspector	142/yr.	Plus $7.00/permit/fire call	
ZLAB	Zoning Law Appeal Board	422/yr.	flat	
WSR	Water & Sewer Registrar	750/yr.	flat	
WSC	Water & Sewer Collector	602/yr.	flat	
MI	Milk Inspector	75/yr.	flat	
TC	Town Counsel	11,605/yr.	flat	
ATA	Town Accountant	6,120/yr.	flat	
CDD	Civil Defense Director	211/yr.	flat	

*Deputy Dog Officer to be paid at a weekly rate of $162.31 when acting for the Dog Officer for periods of seven consecutive days or more. The Deputy Dog Officer will be paid at an hourly rate of $1.25 for on call periods of less than seven consecutive days and an hourly rate equal to the Federal minimum wage when performing Dog Officer duties for less than seven consecutive days.

GROUP IX – RECREATION DEPARTMENT

RD 1-4	Recreation Director	4.23/hr.	4.92/hr.	.23

MOTION made by Mrs. Myrna Fish that Group IX, Recreation Department – RD 1-4 – be Amended to read $5.23/hr. to $5.92/hr.

By VOICE VOTE the Amended Motion was not Carried.

RH	Recreation Helper		3.27/hr. flat	

SCHEDULE C – TOWN EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

MOTION made by the Personnel Committee to Amend Paragraph 2, Section a. (2) to read: "Vacation leave of two weeks with two weeks regular pay shall be granted to full time employees who, as of May first, have been employed by the Town for at least one year but less than five years.

VOTED to Amend Paragraph 2, Section a. (2) to read: "Vacation leave of two weeks with two weeks regular pay shall be granted to full time employees who, as of May first, have been employed by the Town for at least one year but less than five years."

MOTION made by the Personnel Committee to Amend Paragraph 2, Section a. (3) to read: "Vacation leave of three weeks with regular pay shall be granted to employees who, as of May first, have been employed by the Town for five consecutive years.

VOTED to Amend Paragraph 2, Section a. (3) to read: "Vacation leave of three weeks with regular pay shall be granted to employees who, as of May first, have been employed by the Town for five consecutive years."

MOTION made by the Personnel Committee to Amend Paragraph 2, Section a. (4) to read: "Vacation leave of four weeks with regular pay shall be granted to employees who, as of May first, have been employed by the Town for ten consecutive years.

AMENDED MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Paragraph 2, Section a. (4) read: "Twelve consecutive years."

The Voice Vote being in doubt a standing count was taken.

By rising count, "Yes" 79 – "No" 109, the Amended Motion was not Carried.

VOTED to Amend Paragraph 2, Section a. (4) to read: "Vacation leave of four weeks with regular pay shall be granted to employees, who as of May first, have been employed by the Town for ten consecutive years."

MOTION made by the Personnel Committee to Amend Paragraph 8, by adding "Longevity. Full time employees covered by the Personnel Administration Plan who were continuously employed full time by the Town prior to July 1, 1980 shall receive a longevity payment for service to the Town as of July 1, 1980 as follows: For 15 or more years service – $150.00 per year."

VOTED to Amend Paragraph 8, by adding "Longevity. Full time employees covered by the Personnel Administration Plan who were continuously employed full time by the Town prior to July 1, 1980 shall receive a longevity payment for service to the Town as of July 1, 1980 as follows: For 15 or more years service – $150.00 per year."

VOTED to adopt amendments to Schedule "A" Classification Plan; Schedule "B" Salary Plan; Schedule "C" Employee Benefits, as outlined in the Personnel Committee Report dated April 1, 1980.

At 8:30 p.m. MOTION was made by Mr. Michael O'Brien to recess the Annual Town Meeting until the completion of the Special Town Meeting.

VOTED to recess the Annual Town Meeting until the completion of the Special Town Meeting.

At 8:54 p.m. the Annual Town Meeting was Reconvened.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to fix the compensation of elected officers, provide for a reserve fund and determine what sums of money the Town will raise and appropriate, including appropriations from available funds, to defray charges and expenses of the Town, including debt and interest, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1981, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that the Town vote to fix the compensation of elected officers, provide for a reserve fund and determine what sums of money the Town will raise and appropriate, including appropriations from available funds, to defray charges and expenses of the Town, including debt and interest, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1981.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Selectmen		
Salaries	$ 600.00	
Expenses	4,529.00	$ 5,129.00
Town Accountant		
Salary	6,120.00	
Clerical	1,806.00	
Expenses	1,120.00	9,046.00
Treasurer		
Salary	3,292.00	
Clerical	1,819.00	
Expenses	1,665.00	
Tax Titles	1,000.00	7,776.00
Tax Collector		
Salary	3,292.00	
Clerical	3,634.00	
Expenses ($3,500)	4,300.00	

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 12, Expenses, be Amended to read $4,300.

VOTED that Line 12, Expenses, be Amended to read $4,300.

Tax Taking Titles	$ 100.00	$ 11,326.00
Assessors		
Salaries	1,800.00	
Clerical	11,128.00	
Expenses ($2,037)	2,187.00	
MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 16, Expenses, be Amended to read $2,187.		
VOTED that Line 16, Expenses, be Amended to read $2,187.		
Map Updating	950.00	
Valuation Updating	4,000.00	
Rent	2,100.00	
Office Equipment ($300.)	1,300.00	
MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 20, Office Equipment, be Amended to read $1,300.		
VOTED that Line 20, Office Equipment, be Amended to read $1,300.		
Computer Service ($2,250)	1,450.00	
MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 21, Computer Service be Amended to read $1,450.		$ 24,915.00
VOTED that Line 21, Computer Service be Amended to read $1,450.		
Town Clerk		
Salary	1,600.00	
Clerical ($10,939)	11,690.00	
MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 23, Clerical, be Amended to read $11,690.		
VOTED that Line 23, Clerical, be Amended to read $11,690.		
Expenses	2,271.00	15,561.00
Election Officers		
Wages	5,220.00	
Clerical	200.00	
Expenses	3,840.00	9,260.00

Board of Registrars		
Salaries	$ 480.00	
Wages	776.00	
Expenses	3,130.00	$ 4,386.00
Town Office (Administration)		
Clerical ($40,378)	40,528.00	
MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 31, Clerical, be Amended to read $40,528.		
VOTED that Line 31, Clerical, be Amended to read $40,528.		
Expenses ($10,985)	11,285.00	
MOTION Made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 32, Expenses, be Amended to read $11,285.		
VOTED that Line 32, Expenses, be Amended to read $11,285.		
New Equipment	448.00	
Town Reports	4,200.00	56,461.00
Legal		
Legal Services	11,605.00	
Legal Expenses	750.00	12,355.00
Finance Committee		
Clerical	1,487.00	
Expenses	1,385.00	2,872.00
Personnel Committee		
Clerical	53.00	
Expenses	100.00	153.00
Town Buildings		
Wages	2,503.00	
Electricity	8,000.00	
Heat and Fuel	21,205.00	
Maintenance ($4,475)	4,725.00	
MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 44, Maintenance, be Amended to read $4,725.		
VOTED that Line 44, Maintenance, be Amended to read $4,725.		
Special Expenditures	2,800.00	39,233.00

Industrial Committee		
Expenses		$ 100.00
Conservation Committee		
Clerical ($421)	$ 783.00	
MOTION made by Mr. Robert Morse that Line 47, Clerical, be Amended to read $783.		
VOTED that Line 47, Clerical, be Amended to read $783.		
Expenses	255.00	
Engineering Fees	200.00	1,238.00
Animal Inspector		
Salary	380.00	
Expenses	50.00	430.00
Planning Board		
Salaries	500.00	
Clerical	1,100.00	
Expenses	800.00	
Engineering Fees	2,500.00	4,900.00
Appeal Board		
Salaries	422.00	
Clerical	684.00	
Expenses	552.00	1,658.00
Historical Commission		
Expenses		50.00
Town Pride Committee		
Expenses		10.00
Recreation Department		
Wages		6,726.00
Insurance Advisory Committee		
Expenses		260.00
Council On Aging		
Expenses ($1,000)		1,500.00
MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 63, Expenses, be Amended to read $1,500.		
VOTED that Line 63, Expenses, be Amended to read $1,500.		

Regional Refuse Disposal	$	50.00

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department

Wages	$ 186,947.00		
Transfer to Wages from Federal Revenue Sharing Account and/or interest earned on investment of funds.	130,000.00		
Clerical	369.00		
Equipment	5,550.00		
Out of State Travel	300.00		
Expenses	38,926.00		
Ambulance Wages	10,000.00		
Ambulance Expenses	2,300.00		
Equipment Repair	1,500.00		
MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien to Amend the Police budget by adding a new line item – 73A, Equipment Purchases, $610.00.			
VOTED to Amend the Police budget by adding a new line item – 73A, Equipment Purchases, $610.00.			
Equipment Purchases	610.00		246,502.00

At this time George J. Smith, Jr., Chief of Police, stated he would like to have entered into the minutes of this meeting that he had requested an additional patrolman and also had requested that a patrolman be promoted to Sergeant, but this request was not granted. In addition, he had decreased his ambulance wages by cutting twenty runs and the Finance Committee cut the budget by another twenty runs, and he does not feel that he can operate the ambulance on this amount. Also, his request for $2,520 for monthly meetings for the EMT's was cut from his budget.

Building Inspector and Zoning Agent

Salaries	$	3,059.00
Wages from Permits		2,500.00
Clerical		1,312.00
Court & Schooling		400.00

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien to Amend the Building Inspector's budget by adding a new line item – 77A, Office Supplies, $50.00

VOTED to Amend the Building Inspector's budget by adding a new line item – 77A, Office Supplies, $50.00.

Office Supplies	$ 50.00	$ 7,321.00
Wiring Inspector and Deputy		
Salaries	659.00	
Wages from Permits and Fire Calls	1,400.00	
Expenses	247.00	

MOTION made by Mr. Tauno Aalto, Wiring Inspector, that Line 80, Expenses, be Amended to read $547.00.

By VOICE VOTE the Amended Motion was not Carried.

		2,306.00
Dog Officer		
Salary	8,440.00	
Expenses	600.00	9,040.00
Civil Defense		
Salary	211.00	
Wages	132.00	
Expenses	475.00	
Communication Equipment	300.00	1,118.00
Fire Department		
Salaries	16,894.00	
Wages	23,280.00	
Clerical	236.00	
Expenses	6,650.00	
Out of State Travel	200.00	
Equipment and Hose	5,598.00	52,858.00
Police and Fire Alarm		
Wages ($60,377)	60,527.00	

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 93, Wages, be Amended to read $60,527.

VOTED that Line 93, Wages, be Amended to read $60,527.

Expenses	$ 500.00	$ 61,027.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures		
Salary	169.00	
Expenses	250.00	419.00

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Board of Health		
Salaries	$ 400.00	
Agents Wages	2,500.00	
Nurses Wages	29,433.00	
Clerical	9,890.00	
Expenses	4,300.00	
Contract Services	22,625.00	
Garbage Disposal	15,000.00	
Milk Inspector	79.00	
Plumbing/Gas Inspector	1,287.00	
Wages from Permits	1,200.00	
Plumbing Insp./Court	300.00	
Mental Health	1,753.00	88,767.00

STREET LIGHTING – TRAFFIC SIGNALS

Street Lighting	42,000.00	
Traffic Signals, Electricity	1,650.00	
Traffic Signals, Repairs	1,150.00	44,800.00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Administration		
Salaries	600.00	
Clerical	20,376.00	
Expenses	500.00	21,476.00
Sewer Division		
Registrars Salary	345.00	
Collectors Salary	260.00	
Clerical	528.00	
Wages	30,837.00	
Expenses	3,937.00	
Transfer from Sewer Reserve – to Expenses	32,288.92	35,907.00
Water Division		
Registrars Salary	405.00	
Collectors Salary	342.00	

Clerical		528.00	
Wages		19,377.00	
Expenses		50,323.00	
Maturing Debt	$	46,400.00	
Interest on Debt		7,290.00	$ 124,665.00

General (all divisions except water and sewer)

Wages ($205,605)		205,755.00	

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 128, Wages, be Amended to read $205,755.

VOTED that Line 128, Wages, be Amended to read $205,755.

Expenses		173,830.00	
Transfer from Cemetery Trust	–	4,049.80	
Interest to Expenses			379,585.00

VETERANS BENEFITS

Agents Salary	$	2,848.00	
Veterans Benefits		32,750.00	$ 35,598.00

EDUCATION

Transportation	$	86,964.00	
Teachers Salaries ($2,229,553)		2,200,860.00	(Reconsidered and Voted at Recessed Annual Town Meeting on May 13, 1980)

MOTION made by Mr. Robert Graci that Line 134, Teachers Salaries, be Amended to read $2,175,706.

After a lengthy discussion on this Amendment, MOTION made by Mrs. Carole Kellogg to Move the Previous Question.

The Voice Vote not being Unanimous, a standing vote was taken. By rising count, "Yes" 154 "No" 31, it was VOTED to Move the Previous Question.

By VOICE VOTE the Amended Motion was Carried. More than seven voters questioned the vote and a standing vote was taken.

By rising count, "Yes" 113 – "No" 72, the Amended Motion was Carried.

Other Salaries		365,618.00	

MOTION made by Mr. Robert Graci that Line 135, Other Salaries, be Amended to read $335,618. 355,618.00

By VOICE VOTE the Amended Motion was Not Carried. More than seven voters questioned the vote and a standing vote was taken. By rising count, "Yes" 57 – "No" 112, the Amended Motion was Not Carried.

Expenses ($720,317) $ 707,817.00

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 136, Expenses, be Amended to read $707,817.

VOTED that Line 136, Expenses, be Amended to read $707,817.

MOTION made by Mr. Collins O'Connor that this meeting be Recessed until Tuesday, May 13, 1980, at 7:30 p.m. in this hall.

VOTED that this lmeeting be Recessed until Tuesday, May 13, 1980, at 7:30 p.m. in this hall.

Meeting Recessed at 11:13 p.m.

Attest:

TOWN CLERK

RECESSED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MILLIS, MASSACHUSETTS
TUESDAY, MAY 13, 1980

The Recessed Annual Business Meeting of the Town of Millis, Massachusetts was held Tuesday evening, May 13, 1980, in the Junior-Senior High School auditorium and was called to order by the Moderator, John G. Dugan, at 7:41 p.m.

The Town Warrant calling the Recessed meeting was posted on May 13, 1980 by Michael H. Mushnick, Constable, in accordance with the by-laws of the Town of Millis.

Voting List Inspectors: Mary M. Germano, Ingrid Elofson, Rose S. Robinson, Madelene Thumith

Tellers appointed and sworn in by the Moderator:

Stephen P. Barnard	Edward P. Kerwin, Jr.
Bradley W. Calnan	Joseph M. Kerwin

The Moderator announced that Line Items No. 65, 71, 72, 134 and 135 have been requested for Reconsideration.

MOTION made by Mrs. Nancy Gittins for Reconsideration of Line 65, Police Department Wages.

By VOICE VOTE the Motion for Reconsideration was Not Carried.

MOTION made by George J. Smith, Jr., Chief of Police, for Reconsideration of Line 71, Ambulance Wages.

By VOICE VOTE the Motion for Reconsideration was Not Carried.

There was No Motion for Reconsideration of Line 72, Ambulance Wages.

MOTION made by Mr. Walter Alessi for Reconsideration of Line 134, Teachers Salaries.

After considerable discussion on the Motion for Reconsideration, MOTION was made to Move the Previous Question. UNANIMOUSLY VOTED to Move the Previous Question.

By VOICE VOTE the Motion for Reconsideration was Carried.

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 134, Teachers Salaries, be Amended to read $2,200,860.

By VOICE VOTE the Amended Motion was Carried. More than seven voters questioned the vote and a standing vote was taken.

By rising count, "Yes" 147 – "No" 75, the Amended Motion was Carried.

MOTION made by Mr. Walter Alessi that Line 134, Teachers Salaries, be Amended to read $2,220,053.

By VOICE VOTE the Amended Motion was Not Carried.

There was no motion for Reconsideration of Line 135, Other Salaries.

EDUCATION

Out of State Travel	$	2,300.00
Vocational Education		2,586.00
Summer Recreation ($3,370)		

MOTION made by Mrs. Myrna Fish that Line 139, Summer Recreation, be Amended to read Zero.

The Voice Vote being in doubt, a standing vote was taken.

By rising count, "Yes" 117 – "No" 96, it was VOTED that Line 139, Summer Recreation, be Amended to read Zero.

Adult Practical Arts	$ 1,200.00		
Tri-County Regional Vocational Technical School District	97,093.00		$3,464,438.00

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that the Town vote to increase the School Committee budget, established by Chapter 151 of the Acts of 1979, by $128,740.00 so that the budget limit as so increased will be $3,366,945.00.

AMENDED MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien to increase the School Committee budget by $128,739.24 so that the budget limit will be $3,367,355.00.

The Voice Vote on the Amended Motion being in doubt, a standing vote was taken. The standing vote being UNANIMOUS, the Amended Motion was Carried.

By rising count, "Yes" 148 – "No" 61, it was VOTED that the Town increase the School Committee budget, established by Chapter 151 of the Acts of 1979, by $128,739.24 so that the budget limit as so increased will be $3,367,355.

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Wages ($43,917)	$ 43,720.00		

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 142, Library Wages, be Amended to read $43,720.

VOTED that Line 142, Library Wages, be Amended to read $43,720.

Expenses	13,050.00		
Transfer from State Reimbursement to Expenses	2,450.25		$ 56,770.00

PENSIONS

County Pension Fund		98,270.00

UNCLASSIFIED

Memorial Day	1,000.00	
Legion Headquarters	1,000.00	2,000.00

INSURANCE

Net Insurance		$ 98,700.00	
Blue Cross/Blue Shield		91,705.00	
Group Life Insurance		4,158.00	$ 194,563.00

RESERVE FUND

Transfer from Overlay Surplus to Reserve	—	4,218.00	—
Reserve Fund		30,782.00	30,782.00

DEBT AND INTEREST

Maturing Debt		71,000.00	
Interest on Debt		8,801.00	
Certification of Notes		100.00	
Temporary Loan Interest ($1,000)		7,000.00	

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 156, Temporary Loan Interest, be Amended to read $7,000.

VOTED that Line 156, Temporary Loan Interest, be Amended to read $7,000.

86,901.00

Transfer from Available Funds to Reduce Tax Rate ($100,000)	—	551,005.00	—

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Line 157, Transfer from Available Funds to Reduce Tax Rate, be Amended to read $551,005.

VOTED that Line 157, Transfer from Available Funds to Reduce Tax Rate, be Amended to read $551,005.

Total Appropriations — Article 4 $5,260,508.00

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that the salaries for the following town officials be set as follows:

Department of Public Works Commissioners – $200. per member

Board of Health members – $150. for the chairman and $125. for each of the other two members

Planning Board – $100. per member

Selectmen – $200. per member

Assessors – $600. per member

Tax Collector – $3,292.

Treasurer – $3,292.

Town Clerk – $1,600

By VOICE VOTE the Motion was Carried.

VOTED to Adopt Article 4 as Amended.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1980, in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1980, in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with the General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate from taxation, or transfer from available funds in the treasury, a sum of money to be added to the Stabilization Fund in accordance with the provisions of Section 5B, Chapter 40, General Laws, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that Article 6 be Dismissed.

VOTED to Dismiss Article 6.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate from taxation, or transfer from available funds in the treasury a sum of money to establish a special fund for retirement purposes in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 5D of the General Laws, for funding of the Town's share of contributory retirement system, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mr. George Coulter, Finance Committee member, that Article 7 be Dismissed.

By VOICE VOTE the Motion for Dismissal was Not Carried.

More than seven questioned the vote and a standing vote was taken. By rising count, "Yes" 37 – "No" 103, the Motion for Dismissal was Not Carried.

MOTION made by Mrs. Hindy Rosenfeld, Chairman – Board of Selectmen, that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $75,000.00 to establish a special fund for retirement purposes in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 5D of the General Laws, for funding of the Towns share of contributory retirement system.

AMENDED MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $50,000.00.

By VOICE VOTE the Amended Motion was Carried.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $50,000.00 to establish a special fund for retirement purposes in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 5D of the General Laws, for funding of the Towns share of contributory retirement system.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the Board of Selectmen for hiring a consultant regarding the impact of pensions on the future tax rates, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $4,000.00 to be used by the Board of Selectmen for hiring a consultant regarding the impact of pensions on future tax rates.

ARTICLE 9. To see what disposition the Town will make of the money refunded by the County on account of dog licenses, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town transfer the sum of $1,032.88 refunded by the County on account of dog licenses to the Library Expense account.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and raise by taxation, or transfer from available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for partial reimbursement to the City of Chelsea for payments made to Earl G. Boyd pursuant to the provisions of Section 59A of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $369.01 for partial reimbursement to the City of Chelsea for payments made to Earl G. Boyd pursuant to the provisions of Section 59A of Chapter 32 of the General Laws.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 41, Section 4A of the General Laws of Massachusetts, vote to authorize the Board of Health to appoint any of its own members to any other Town office or position for the term provided by law, and fix the salaries of such officers or positions, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 41, Section 4A of the General Laws, authorize the Board of Health to appoint any of its own members to any other Town office or position for the term provided by law and to fix the salary of such office or position at $5.50 per hour, funds to be provided under the Board of Health budget.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and raise by taxation, or transfer from available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of two new police cruisers and authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of one or two of the old cars by trading against the purchase price of the new cars, by outright sale, by auction or otherwise, and use the proceeds against the purchase price of the new vehicles, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $12,577.00 for the purchase of two new police cruisers and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of one or two of the old cars by trading against the purchase price of the new cars, by outright sale, by auction or otherwise, and use the proceeds against the purchase price of the new vehicles.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and raise by taxation, or transfer from available funds in the treasury, a sum of money to purchase a 1980 model fully-equipped police motorcycle with radio through the Governor's Highway Safety Bureau and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept and expend all available State and/or Federal funds in reimbursement thereof, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $6,800.00 to purchase a 1980 model fully equipped police motorcycle with radio through the Governors Highway Safety Bureau and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept all available State and/or Federal funds in reimbursement thereof.

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that this meeting be recessed until Wednesday, May 14, 1980, at 7:30 p.m. in this hall.

VOTED that this meeting be recessed until Wednesday, May 14, 1980, at 7:30 p.m. in this hall.

Meeting Recessed at 11:00 p.m.

Attest:

TOWN CLERK

RECESSED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MILLIS, MASSACHUSETTS
WEDNESDAY, MAY 14, 1980

The Recessed Annual Business Meeting of the Town of Millis, Massachusetts was held Wednesday evening, May 14, 1980, in the Junior-Senior High School auditorium and was called to order by the Moderator, John G. Dugan, at 7:42 p.m.

The Town Warrant calling the Recessed meeting was posted on May 14, 1980 by Michael H. Mushnick, Constable, in accordance with the by-laws of the Town of Millis.

Voting List Inspectors: Mary M. Germano, Ingrid E. Elofson, Mary E. Braman, Madelene Thumith

Tellers appointed and sworn in by the Moderator:

Stephen P. Barnard, James M. McCaffrey, Bradley W. Calnan, Russell C. Whittaker

The Moderator announced the first item for Reconsideration will be Line 139, Summer Recreation.

MOTION made by Mrs. Dorothy Howley for Reconsideration of Line 139, Summer Recreation. The Voice Vote being in doubt a standing vote was taken. By rising count, "Yes" 84 – "No" 49, the Motion for Reconsideration was Carried.

MOTION made by Mrs. Dorothy Howley that Line 139, Summer Recreation, be Amended to read $3,370.

By VOICE VOTE the Amended Motion was Not Carried.

The Moderator announced the next item for Reconsideration will be Over-ride Vote on the Tax Cap.

MOTION made by Mr. Raymond Bennison for Reconsideration of the Vote to Over-ride the School Committee Budget Tax Cap.

By VOICE VOTE the Motion for Reconsideration was Not Carried.

The Moderator announced the last item is for Reconsideration of Article 13. No Motion was made for Reconsideration of Article 13.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to establish a summer recreation program for physically and mentally handicapped children, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 to establish a summer recreation program for physically and mentally handicapped children.

MOTION made by Mr. Joseph Fowler, Finance Committee member, that the Town vote to increase the School Committee budget, established by Chapter 151 of the Acts of 1979, by $131,739.24 so that the School Committee budget limit as so increased will be $3,370,355.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED that the Town increase the School Committee budget, established by Chapter 151 of the Acts of 1979, by $131,739.24 so that the School Committee budget limit as so increased will be $3,370,355.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a new school bus and authorize the School Committee to dispose of an old bus by trading against the purchase price of the new bus, by outright sale, by auction or otherwise and determine whether said money shall be provided for by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $23,598.00 for the purchase of a new school bus and to authorize the School Committee to dispose of the old bus by trading against the purchase price of the new bus, by outright sale, by auction or otherwise.

MOTION made by Mr. Joseph Fowler that the Town vote to increase the School Committee budget, established by Chapter 151 of the Acts of 1979, by $155,337.24 so that the School Committee budget limit as so increased will be $3,393,953.

By rising count, "Yes" 143 – "No" 8, it was VOTED to increase the School Committee budget, established by Chapter 151 of the Acts of 1979, by $155,337.24 so that the School Committee budget limit as so increased will be $3,393,953.

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 71, Section 71E of the Massachusetts General Laws, which provides for a revolving fund to be administered by the School Committee in connection with the conduct of adult education and continuing education programs, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Dr. Charles Graham, Finance Committee member, that Article 16 be Dismissed.

By VOICE VOTE the Motion for Dismissal was Carried. More than seven voters questioned the vote and a standing vote was taken.

By rising count, "Yes" 65 – "No" 86, the Motion for Dismissal was Not Carried.

MOTION made by Mrs. Thomas Burke that the Town vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 71, Section 71E of the Massachusetts General Laws, which provides for a revolving fund to be administered by the School Committee in connection with the conduct of adult education and continuing education programs.

The Voice Vote being in doubt a standing vote was taken.

By rising count, "Yes" 96 – "No" 68, it was VOTED that the Town accept the provisions of Chapter 71, Section 71E of the Massachusetts General Laws, which provides for a revolving fund to be administered by the School Committee in connection with the conduct of adult education and continuing education programs.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used for Town unemployment compensation and to determine whether said funds shall be provided for by taxation or by transfer from available funds in the treasury, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $3,000.00 to be used for Town unemployment compensation, said funds to be added to the unexpended balance in the present unemployment compensation account.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and raise by taxation, transfer from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, a sum of money for the purchase of a fire truck and authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of one of the old fire trucks by trading against the purchase price of the new fire truck, by outright sale, by auction or otherwise, and use the proceeds against the purchase price of the new vehicle, or act in any manner relating thereto.

After considerable discussion, MOTION made to Move the Previous Question. The Voice Vote not being Unanimous, a standing vote was taken. By rising count, "Yes" 146 – "No" 12, it was VOTED to Move the Previous Question.

By rising count, "Yes" 136 – "No" 28, it was VOTED that the Town appropriate and transfer from available free cash in the treasury the sum of $81,336.00 for the purchase of a fire truck and that the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of one of the old fire trucks by trading against the purchase price of the new truck. (Reconsidered at the Recessed Annual Town Meeting on May 19, 1980 and Voted as follows: By rising count, "Yes" 101 – "No" 2, it was VOTED that the town appropriate and transfer from available free cash in the treasury the sum of $81,336.00 for the purchase of a fire truck and that the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of one of the old fire trucks by trading against the purchase price of the new truck, by outright sale, by auction or otherwise, and use the proceeds against the purchase price of the new vehicle.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 148, Section 26C of the Massachusetts General Laws, which provides that apartment houses containing six or more dwelling units, hotels, boarding or lodging houses or family hotels shall be equipped with an automatic smoke or heat detector in each dwelling unit and each hallway floor, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town accept the provisions of Chapter 148, Section 26C of the Massachusetts General Laws, which provides that apartment houses containing six or more dwelling units, hotels, boarding houses or lodging houses or family hotels shall be equipped with an automatic smoke or heat detector in each dwelling unit and each hallway floor.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to conduct a comprehensive groundwater resource protection study and to determine whether such funds shall be raised by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Dr. Charles Graham that Article 20 be Dismissed.

VOTED to Dismiss Article 20.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to amend its by-laws by inserting within the subsection entitled "Self Supporting Water Department" under Article V the following phrase after the words, "amount due" in the second sentence thereof:

"provided however, that no charge shall be levied against Town buildings, departments or services."

or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mr. Joseph Fowler that the Town vote to amend its by-laws by inserting within the subsection entitled "Self Supporting Water Department" under Article V the following sentence after the second sentence thereof:

"No charge for water or sewer use shall be levied against any Town buildings, departments or services."

AMENDED MOTION made by Mr. George D. Cassidy to strike the words "or sewer."

By VOICE VOTE the Amended Motion was Carried.

After considerable discussion on the Main Motion as Amended, MOTION was made to Move the Previous Question. UNANIMOUSLY VOTED to Move the Previous Question.

By VOICE VOTE the Main Motion was Not Carried.

ARTICLE 22. Section One: To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning by-law by including the following changes:

In "Section II DEFINITIONS", make the following changes:

delete "Floodway: The area subject to periodic flooding, the limits of which are determined by the floodline",

and replaced with

"Floodway: The channel of a river or other watercourse and the adjacent land areas that must be reserved in order to discharge the base flood without cumulatively increasing the water surface elevation more than one foot."

delete "Flood Line: The limits of flooding from a particular body of water caused by a storm or other natural phenomena whose general frequency of occurrence is once in one hundred years as determined and certified by a registered professional engineer qualified and experienced in drainage."

The following additional definitions shall be added to the zoning by-law and inserted alphabetically among the present definitions:

"Appeal: A request for a review of the Board of Appeals' interpretation of any provision of this by-law or a request for a variance or a special permit.

Area of special flood hazard: The land in the flood plain within a community subject to a one percent or greater chance of flooding in any given year.

Base flood: The flood having a one percent chance of being equalled or exceeded in any given year.

Development: Any man-made change to improved or unimproved real estate, including but not limited to buildings or other structures, mining, dredging, filling, grading, paving, excavation or drilling operations located within the area of special flood hazard.

Flood: A general and temporary condition or partial or complete inundation of normally dry land areas from:

(1) The overflow of inland or tidal waters and/or
(2) The unusual and rapid accumulation or runoff of surface waters from any source.

Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM): The official map on which the Federal Insurance Administration has delineated both the areas of special flood hazards and the risk premium zones applicable to the community.

Flood Insurance Study: The official report provided in which the Federal Insurance Administration has provided flood profiles, as well as the Flood Boundary-Floodway Map and the water surface elevation of the base flood.

Floodproof: Watertight with walls substantially impermeable to passage of water and with structural components having the capability of resisting hydrostatic and hydrodynamic loads and effects of bouyancy.

Habitable floor: Any floor usable for living purposes, which includes working, sleeping, eating, cooking or recreation or a combination thereof. A floor used only for storage purposes is not a "habitable floor".

Mean Sea Level (MSL): The mean surface water level determined by averaging all stages of the tide over a 19-year period, usually determined from hourly height observations along an open coast. Expressed in feet, referenced to National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929.

Mobile home: A structure that is transportable in one or more sections, built on a permanent chassis, and designed to be used with or without a permanent foundation when connected to the required utilities. It does not include recreational vehicles or travel trailers.

New construction: Structures for which the "start of construction" commenced on or after the effective date of this ordinance.

Start of construction: The first placement of permanent construction of a structure (other than a mobile home) on a site, such as the pouring of slabs or footings or any work beyond the stage of excavation. Permanent construction does not include land preparation, such as clearing, grading, and filling, nor does it include the installation of streets and/or walkways; nor does it include excavation for a basement, footings, piers or foundations or the erection of temporary forms; nor does it include the installation on the property of accessory buildings, such as garages or sheds not occupied as dwelling units or not as part of the main structure. For a structure (other than a mobile home) without a basement or poured footings, the "start of construction" includes the first permanent framing or assembly of the structure or any part thereof on its piling or foundation.

Substantial improvement: Any repair, reconstruction, or improvement of a structure, the cost of which equals or exceeds 50 percent of the market value of the structure either:

(1) before the improvement or repair is started, or
(2) if the structure has been damaged and is being restored, before the damage occurred.

For the purposes of this definition "substantial improvement" is considered to occur when the first alteration of any wall, ceiling, floor, or other structural part of the building commences, whether or not that alteration affects the external dimensions of the structure.

The term does not, however, include either:

(1) any project for improvement of a structure to comply with existing State or local health, sanitary, or safety code specifications which are solely necessary to assure safe living conditions, or

(2) any alteration of a structure listed on the National Register of Historic Places or a State Inventory of Historic Places.

Variance: A grant of relief from the requirements of this by-law which permits construction in a manner that would otherwise be prohibited by this by-law."

In "SECTION III ESTABLISHMENT OF ZONING DISTRICTS", make the following changes: Subsection B (page 3-1), Line 2:

delete "Flood Plain Zoning District"

and replace with

"Special Flood Hazard Zoning District ("SFH" Zoning District)"

Subsection D.5. (page 3-2), Line 2:

delete "Flood Plain"

and replace with

"Special Flood Hazard".

In SECTION X WATERSHED PROTECTION DISTRICT", make the following changes:

Subsection A.2. (page 10-1), Paragraph 1, Line 7

delete "a floodway"

and replace with

"any area of special flood hazard".

Subsection A.2. (page 10-1), Paragraph 4:

delete "The term "floodway" as used in this section shall mean the area subject to periodic flooding, the limits of such flooding from a particular body of water caused by a storm, or other natural phenomena whose frequency of occurrence is once in one hundred years as determined and certified by a registered professional engineer qualified and experienced in drainage"

and replaced with

"Area of special flood hazard" as used in this section shall mean the land in the flood plain subject to a one percent or greater chance of flooding in any given year".

In "SECTION XI FLOOD PLAIN DISTRICT" delete this section in its entirety and replace with

"SECTION XI
SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD DISTRICT

A. Special Flood Hazard District ("SFH" District)

1. Purpose. The purpose of this district is to promote the public health, safety, and general welfare, and to minimize public and private losses due to flood conditions in specific areas by provisions designed:

   a. To protect human life and health;

   b. To minimize expenditure of public money for costly flood control projects;

   c. To minimize the need for rescue and relief efforts associated with flooding and generally undertaken at the expense of the general public;

   d. To minimize prolonged business interruptions;

   e. To minimize damage to public facilities and utilities such as water and gas mains, electric, telephone and sewer lines, streets and bridges located in areas of special flood hazard;

   f. To help maintain a stable tax base by providing for the second use and development of areas of special flood hazard so as to minimize future flood blight areas;

   g. To insure that potential buyers are notified that property is in an area of special flood hazard; and,

   h. To ensure that those who occupy the areas of special flood hazard assume responsibility for their actions;

   i. To promote the preservation of the natural flood control characteristics and the water storage capacity of the areas of special flood hazard;

   j. To promote the safety and purity of water;

   k. To promote the control and containment of sewage.

2. Definition. The "SFH" District is superimposed over any other district established by this by-law. This district includes the areas of special flood hazard, Zones A, A_1 - A_{30} identified by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in a scientific and engineering report entitled "Flood Insurance Study, Town of Millis, Norfolk County, Massachusetts", dated July 2, 1980, with accompanying Flood Insurance Rate Maps and is hereby adopted by reference and declared to be a part of this by-law. The Flood Insurance Study is on file at the Office of the Town Clerk, Town of Millis, County of Norfolk, Massachusetts.

3. Methods of Reducing Flood Losses

a. Located within areas of special flood hazard established in Section XI.2. are areas designated as floodways. Since the floodway is an extremely hazardous area due to the velocity of flood waters which carry debris, potential projectiles, and erosion potential, the following provisions apply:

(1) Prohibit encroachments, including fill, new construction, substantial improvements, and other development unless a technical evaluation demonstrates that encroachments shall not result in any increase in flood levels during the occurrence of the base flood discharge.

(2) If Section XI.3.b. (1) is satisfied, all new construction and substantial improvements shall comply with all applicable flood hazard reduction provisions of Section XI.6. "Issuance of Special Permit".

4. Permitted Uses. Land in the "SFH" District may be used for any purpose otherwise permitted in the underlying district except that:

a. No building, wall, dam, or other structure shall be erected, constructed, altered, enlarged, or otherwise created or moved for any purpose unless a Special Permit from the Special Permit Granting Authority is issued.

b. Dumping, filling, excavating, or transferring of any earth material within the District is prohibited unless a Special Permit from the Special Permit Granting Authority is issued.

c. No ponds or pools shall be created or other changes in watercourses for swimming, fishing, or other recreational uses, agricultural uses, scenic features, or drainage improvements, or any other uses unless a Special Permit from the Special Permit Granting Authority is issued.

d. Proper operation and maintenance of dams and other water control devices are permitted uses under this section.

e. Municipal use, such as water works, pumping stations and parks, is permitted under this section.

5. Application for Special Permit

a. A Special Permit shall be obtained before construction or development begins within any area of special flood hazard established in Section XI.3. above. Any person desiring a Special Permit for any use set out in Section XI.4. above within any "SFH" District shall submit an application to the Special Permit Granting Authority in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws, as amended. The application shall be accompanied by plans of any construction and of the premises on which it

is to be situated. All plans shall show existing and proposed site features and major vegetation, existing and proposed finished ground contours at 2 foot intervals for the entire parcel or lot under consideration or within a minimum of 200 feet of the proposed construction. All plans shall include:

(1) elevation, in relation to mean sea level (MSL), of the lowest floor, including basement, of all structures;

(2) elevation, in relation to mean sea level, to which any structure has been floodproofed;

(3) certification by a professional engineer or architect, who is registered to practice by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, that the floodproofing methods for any non-residential structure meet the floodproofing criteria in Section XI.6.

b. All applications for Special Permits shall include a description of the extent to which any watercourse will be altered or relocated as a result of proposed development.

c. Copies of the application for special permit shall be submitted to the Special Permit Granting Authority with accompanying plans which shall also be sent to the Inspector of Buildings, Board of Health, Conservation Commission and Planning Board for their recommendations to the Special Permit Granting Authority.

d. All such plans shall be certified by a Registered Land Surveyor and a Registered Professional Engineer who are registered to practice by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

6. Issuance of Special Permit

a. The Special Permit Granting Authority, after holding a public hearing, shall issue a permit under this section if it finds that the use of the premises will not endanger the health or safety of the occupants or of other land in any "SFH" District. In deciding applications for a special permit under this section, but without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Special Permit Granting Authority shall assure:

(1) That new construction or substantial improvement of any residential structure shall have the lowest floor, including basement, elevated to at least 2 feet above base flood elevation, and that the top of the foundation shall be at least 9 feet above this base flood elevation.

(2) New construction and substantial improvement of any commercial, industrial or other nonresidential structure shall either have the lowest floor, including basement, elevated to the level of the base flood elevation; or,

together with attendant utility and sanitary facilities, shall:

(a) be floodproofed so that below the base flood level the structure is watertight with walls substantially impermeable to the passage of water;

(b) have structural components capable of resisting hydrostatic and hydrodynamic loads and effects of buoyancy; and,

(c) be certified by a Professional Engineer or architect, who is registered to practice by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, that the standards of this subsection are satisfied.

(3) All new construction and substantial improvements shall be anchored to prevent flotation, collapse, or lateral movement of the structure.

(4) Within Zone A1-30, all mobile homes shall provide that:

(a) stands or lots are elevated on compacted fill or on pilings so that the lowest floor of the mobile home will be at or above the base flood level; and

(b) adequate surface drainage and access for a hauler are provided; and

(c) in the instance of elevation on pilings, lots are large enough to permit steps, piling foundations are placed in stable soil no more than 10 feet apart, and reinforcement is provided for piers more than six feet above ground level.

(5) That all structures be so designed and secured that during flooding:

(a) The foundation would not be undermined.

(b) The structure will not be floated off, battered off, or swept away.

(6) That safe vehicular and pedestrian movement to, over, and from the premises is provided on ways having a profile no less than above the base flood elevation defined in Section XI.2. above.

(7) That because of the location or elevation of the building, filling of the area, of for other reasons, there will be no danger of pollution to public or on-site water facilities.

(8) That the containment of sewage; safety of gas, electric, fuel, and other utilities from breaking, leaking, short-circuiting, grounding, igniting, electrocuting, or any other dangers due to flooding will be adequately protected.

(9) That the methods of drainage are adequate.

(10) That other land in any "SFH" District is protected against detrimental or offensive uses of the premises.

(11) All new construction and substantial improvements shall be constructed with materials and utility equipment resistant to flood damage.

(12) All new construction and substantial improvements shall be constructed using methods and practices that minimize flood damage.

(13) All new and replacement water supply systems shall be designed to minimize or eliminate infiltration of flood waters into the system;

(14) New and replacement sanitary sewage systems shall be designed to minimize or eliminate infiltration of flood waters into the systems and discharge from the systems into flood waters; and

(15) On-site waste disposal systems shall be located to avoid impairment to them or contamination from them during flooding;

(16) All subdivision proposals shall be consistent with the need to minimize flood damage;

(17) All subdivision proposals shall have adequate drainage provided to reduce exposure to flood damage; and,

(18) Base flood elevation data shall be provided for all subdivisions and other proposed developments within the "SFH" District.

(19) Within Zones A1-30, no new construction, substantial improvement to existing structures, filling, or other land development shall be permitted unless it is demonstrated by the applicant that the cumulative effect of the proposed development, when combined with all other existing and anticipated development, will not increase the water surface elevation of the base flood more than one foot at any point in the Town.

b. If any land included in any "SFH" District is found by the Special Permit Granting Authority not in fact to be subject to seasonal or periodic flooding, the Special Permit Granting Authority may grant a Special Permit for the use of such land for any purpose permitted in the underlying district.

(1) In the absence of specific engineering and subsurface data, the Board of Health and the Special Permit Granting Authority, in consideration of the items under Section XI.6., shall consider that the minimum groundwater elevation in the "SFH" District to be 2 feet below existing surface elevations within any area of special flood hazard.

c. No building permit shall be issued until the Board of Health has issued a permit under this section approving the proposed sanitary and storm drainage system or has allowed 45 days to elapse after receipt of the application.

d. No occupancy permit shall be issued until the Special Permit Granting Authority, the Inspector of Buildings, Board of Health, Conservation Commission and Planning Board have received a plan as certified in accordance with Subsection 5.d. showing the foundation and floor elevations, grading of the premises, elevations of the completed construction, and all elevations of the various elements that make up the sewage disposal system, and that all requirements of all permits are satisfied.

7. Limits of Authority

a. Nothing contained in this section shall limit the authority of the Board of Health with respect to premises in any "SFH" District."

In "SECTION XII ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT", make the following changes:

Subsection C (page 12-1), Line 16:

delete "Department of Natural Resources"

and replace with

"Department of Environmental Quality Engineering"

Subsection D, delete in its entirety and replace with

"D. Flood Insurance Program. In order to insure the proper administration of the Special Flood Hazard Zoning District established under this by-law, the Inspector of Buildings shall:

1. Review proposed development to assure that all necessary permits have been or are in the process of being obtained from those governmental agencies from which approval is required by federal or state law.

2. Obtain and maintain records of: the elevations to which any structure has been floodproofed; the floodproofing certificates required under Section XI, and whether or not the structure has a basement.

No building permit shall be issued for construction of any building if determination is made by the Inspector of Buildings that flooding

of any part of the building will occur either from the underground water table or from the surface runoff from streets and roads, or from the overflowing of bogs, ponds, or streams.

Within Zone A, where the base flood elevation is not provided on the FIRM, the applicant shall obtain any existing base flood elevation data and it shall be reviewed by the Inspector of Buildings for its reasonable utilization toward meeting the elevation or floodproofing requirements, as appropriate, of the State Building Code."

Subsection E (page 12-2), Line 9:

delete "Flood Plain"

and replace with
"Special Flood Hazard"

Subsection E (page 12-2), Line 12:

delete "may"

and replace with
"shall".

Subsection R, delete in its entirety and replace with

"R. Variances. The Board of Appeals may authorize a variance for a particular use or for a parcel of land or to an existing building thereon from the terms of this by-law, where, owing to conditions especially affecting such parcel or such building but not affecting generally the district in which it is located, a literal enforcement of the provisions of this by-law would involve substantial hardship, financial or otherwise, to the appellant, and where desirable, relief may be granted without substantial detriment to the public good and without nullifying or substantially derogating from the intent or purpose of this by-law.

Before any variance is granted, the Board must find all of the following conditions to be present:

1. Conditions and circumstances are unique to the applicant's lot, structure, or building and do not apply to the neighboring lands, structures, or buildings in the same district.
2. The unique conditions and circumstances are not the result of actions of the applicant taken subsequent to the adoption of this by-law.
3. Relief, if approved, will not cause substantial detriment to the public good or impair the purposes and intent of this by-law.
4. If a variance is granted, the Board of Appeals shall notify the applicant in writing over their signature that:
   a. the issuance of such variance to construct a structure below the base flood elevation will result in increased premium rates for flood insurance, and

b. such construction below the base flood level increases risks to life and property.

5. The Board of Appeals will maintain a record of all variance actions, including justification for their issuance and report such variances issued in the Annual Report submitted to the Federal Insurance Administration.

6. Variances may be issued for the reconstruction, rehabilitation, or restoration of structures listed on the National Register of Historic Placed or on State Inventory of Historic Places, without regard to the procedures set forth above.

Notwithstanding the above, the Board of Appeals shall not grant use variances as to multi-dwelling units in those areas in which they are now prohibited."

In "SECTION XIII SPECIAL PERMIT CONDITIONS", make the following changes:

Subsection D.2. (page 13-1), Line 3:

delete "Flood Plain"

and replace with
"Special Flood Hazard"

Subsection D.5.a., Line 2:

delete "Flood Plain"

and replace with
"Special Flood Hazard"

Subsection E (page 13-9), Line 8:

delete "Department of Natural Resources"

and replace with
"Department of Environmental Quality Engineering"

or act in any manner relating thereto.

Section Two: To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning map by deleting the Flood Plain Zoning District and replacing it with the Special Flood Hazard Zoning District as identified by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in their report dated July 2, 1980 and referenced herein, said map being hereby adopted in all other respects, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mr. William Koney that the Town vote to amend the zoning by-law to include the changes as outlined under Article 22.

AMENDED MOTION made by Mr. Huna Rosenfeld that Section 6 – Issuance of a Special Permit – Paragraph (1) read:

"(1) That new construction or substantial improvement of any residential structure shall have the lowest floor, including basement, elevated to or above base flood elevation, and that the top of the foundation shall be at least 7 feet above this base flood elevation.

By VOICE VOTE the Amended Motion was Not Carried.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED that the Town amend the zoning by-law to include the changes as outlined under Article 22.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section V of the Personnel Administration Plan of its by-laws by inserting the following words after "position" and before "in another group";

"in the same or"

or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town amend its by-laws under Section V of the Personnel Administration Plan by inserting the following words after "Position" and before "in another group";

"in the same or".

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to amend its by-laws by adding to Article III, Section 1, the following sentence, "The Board of Selectmen may appoint and remove an Executive Secretary under the provisions of Chapter 41 of the Massachusetts General Laws," or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mr. Roger Koney that Article 24 be Dismissed.

VOTED to Dismiss Article 24.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept an amendment to the Tri-County Regional Vocational Technical School District ("Tri-County") Agreement initiated and proposed by vote of the Tri-County School Committee adopted on May 23rd 1979 and entitled "Amendment No. 3 to the Agreement Establishing the Tri-County Regional Vocational Technical School District", which proposed amendment provides in substance for the admission of the Town of Dover and specifies (a) that Dover will have one member of the School Committee appointed by the Moderator, the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen and the Chairman of the School Committee, acting jointly, for a three year term; (b) that for the first year of its membership Dover will contribute as its entire share of the operating costs and capital costs of Tri-County for such year an amount equal to what it would pay if the students from Dover enrolled in Tri-County were tuition students, and Dover will also be responsible for all the transportation costs of those students; and after its first year of membership, Dover will pay its share of operating costs and capital costs apportioned in accordance with Section IV of the agreement, and in addition, shall as partial reimbursement to the members of Tri-County for their payments of capital costs on Tri-County's original school building,

Dover will pay to Tri-County for a period of six years, commencing with the second year of Dover's membership and ending on the seventh year of such membership, an annual surcharge of $20,000; and (c) that the effective date for the admission of Dover will be July 1st following its acceptance of the amended Tri-County agreement and the acceptance by each of the existing member towns of the amendment admitting Dover, copies of which Tri-County agreement as amended and of the proposed amendment, as described in this Article, are available for inspection at the office of the Town Clerk, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town accept the provisions of Article 25 for the admission of the Town of Dover to the Tri-County Regional Vocational Technical School District.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will vote to accept the assignment of a certain March 7, 1980 option agreement to purchase, and also to purchase or to take by eminent domain for municipal purposes from the Workingmen's Co-operative Bank, a certain parcel of land comprising 93,000 square feet, located on the southeasterly side of Main Street, Millis, and shown on a plan entitled "Compiled Plan of Land in Millis, Mass. Scaled 1 inch = 40 feet, November 8, 1972, E. Gavin, Reg. Land Surveyor," to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purposes, and to determine whether said money should be provided for by taxation or by transfer from available funds in the treasury, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $15,000.00 to purchase for municipal purposes from the Workingmen's Co-operative Bank a certain parcel of land containing 93,000 square feet, located on the southeasterly side of Main Street, Millis, and shown on a plan entitled "Compiled Plan of Land in Millis, Mass. Scaled 1 inch = 40 feet, November 8, 1972, E. Gavin, Reg. Land Surveyor," and to accept the assignment of a certain March 7, 1980 option agreement to purchase.

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate from taxation, or transfer from available funds in the treasury, a sum of money to be used for energy conservation measures for public facilities, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $8,000.00 to be used for energy conservation measures for public facilities.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and raise by taxation, or transfer from available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of one minibus and for all expenses incidental thereto, to be matched by funds from the MBTA, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mr. Joseph Fowler that Article 28 be Dismissed.

After considerable discussion, MOTION made to Move the Previous Question. UNANIMOUSLY VOTED to Move the Previous Question.

VOTED to Dismiss Article 28.

MOTION made that this meeting be recessed until Monday, May 19, 1980, in this hall.

VOTED that this meeting be recessed until Monday, May 19, 1980, at 7:30 p.m. in this hall.

Meeting recessed at 11:09 p.m.

Attest:

TOWN CLERK

RECESSED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MILLIS, MASSACHUSETTS
MONDAY, MAY 19, 1980

The Recessed Annual Business Meeting of the Town of Millis, Massachusetts was held Monday evening, May 19, 1980, in the Junior-Senior High School auditorium and was called to order by the Moderator, John G. Dugan, at 7:38 p.m.

The Town Warrant calling the Recessed Meeting was posted on May 16, 1980 by John Kubacki, Constable, in accordance with the by-laws of the Town of Millis.

Voting List Inspectors: Mary M. Germano, Ingrid E. Elofson, Mary E. Braman, Claire M. Germano

Tellers appointed and sworn in by the Moderator:

Stephen P. Barnard, Russell C. Whittaker, Bradley W. Calnan

The Moderator announced that one article has been submitted for Reconsideration and after action is taken on this, the meeting will proceed to Article 29.

MOTION made by Mr. Charles Levine for Reconsideration of Article 18. The Voice Vote being in doubt, a standing vote was taken. By rising count, "Yes" 38 – "No" 35, it was VOTED to Reconsider Article 18.

MOTION made by Mr. Charles Levine that the Town appropriate and transfer from available free cash in the treasury the sum of $81,336.00 for the purchase of a fire truck and that the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of one of the old fire trucks by trading against the purchase price of the new truck, by outright sale, by outright sale, by auction or otherwise, and use the proceeds against the purchase price of the new truck.

After considerable discussion, MOTION was made to Move the Previous Question. The Voice Vote not being Unanimous a standing vote was taken. By rising count, "Yes" 94 – "No" 3, it was VOTED to Move the Previous Question.

The Voice Vote on the Main Motion not being Unanimous, a standing vote was taken. By rising count, "Yes" 101 – "No" 2, the Motion was Carried.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of entering into a contract for consulting services to prepare, administer and file applications for Community Development Block Grant programs and other Federal, State, foundation and private funds and/or programs to meet the needs of the community, authorize the Selectmen to expend any funds obtained thereby, and determine whether the money shall be raised by taxation or transferred from available funds, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $2,500.00 for the purpose of entering into a contract for consulting services to prepare, administer and file applications for Community Development Block Grant programs and other Federal, State, foundation and private funds and/or programs to meet the needs of the community and authorize the Selectmen to expend all funds obtained thereby.

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to continue the previously appointed Committee to evaluate the continuation of the Board of Public Works as a form of government in Millis and to submit its report, including recommendations, to the Board of Selectmen prior to the next annual Town Meeting, or act in any manner relating thereto.

No Motion was made on Article 30.

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to enter into contracts with the Massachusetts Department of Public Works and the Norfolk County Commissioners and to expend funds made available during the year for the construction and maintenance of public highways for the 1980-81 fiscal year, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to enter into contracts with the Massachusetts Department of Public Works and the Norfolk County Commissioners and to expend funds made available during the year for the construction and maintenance of public highways for the 1980-1981 fiscal year.

ARTICLE 32. To see if the Town will vote to accept the 1979 Cemetery Trust Funds from individual families or estates as follows:

John Ruth	$100.00
Thomas Tolar	25.00
Jeanette Mallette	100.00
Gertrude Karoghlanian	100.00
Janet Collins	200.00
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Parks	25.00
Francis Christian	100.00
Mildred LaCroix, Estate of	100.00

or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the town accept the cemetery trust funds for 1979 from the individual families or estates as listed in Article 32.

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the Board of Public Works to purchase a new heavy-duty trailer mounted leaf truck loader with appurtenances, and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $5,000.00 to be used by the Board of Public Works to purchase a new heavy-duty trailer mounted leaf truck loader with appurtenances.

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the Board of Public Works to continue a tree care program throughout the Town and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or by transfer from available funds in the treasury, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $5,000.00 to be used by the Board of Public Works to continue a tree care program throughout the town.

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the Board of Public Works to purchase a new diesel farm type tractor with a side mount sickle bar mower with appurtenances and to have the trade-in allowance from the 1950 Ford tractor applied against the cost of this equipment and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or act in any manner relating thereto.

After considerable discussion, MOTION made by Mr. Everett Adams to Move the Previous Question. The Voice Vote not being Unanimous, a standing vote was taken. By rising count, "Yes" 99 – "No" 3, it was VOTED to Move the Previous Question.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $9,300.00 to be used by the Board of Public Works to purchase a new diesel

farm type tractor with a side mount sickle bar mower with appurtenances and to have the trade-in allowance from the 1950 Ford tractor applied against the cost of this equipment.

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the Board of Public Works to defray certain water, sewer and hydrant charges allocable to Town buildings and property not under the control of the School Committee and to determine whether the money shall be raised by taxation or by transfer from available funds in the treasury, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mr. Joseph Fowler that Article 36 by Dismissed.

VOTED to Dismiss Article 36.

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the Board of Public Works to defray engineering and construction costs to continue implementing the recommendations of the water hydraulic survey to improve the water distribution system throughout the Town, and determine whether the money is to be provided for by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing through community facility loans from the U. S. Department of Agriculture Farmer Home Administration, or by accepting a grant from the U. S. Department of Agriculture Farmers Home Administration, or act in any manner relating thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED that the Town appropriate the sum of $150,000.00 to be used by the Board of Public Works to defray engineering and construction costs to continue implementing the recommendations of the water hydraulic survey to improve the water distribution system throughout the Town, said appropriation to be raised by borrowing through community facility loans from the U. S. Department of Agriculture Farmers Home Administration, or by accepting a grant from the Farmers Home Administration.

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the Board of Public Works to implement the initial engineering studies leading to the construction of a new well at the South End Pond, and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $25,000.00 to be used by the Board of Public Works to implement the initial engineering studies leading to the construction of a new ell at the South End Pond.

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Public Works to appoint its own sewer and water registrars, funds therefor to be obtained from the department's budget, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town authorize the Board of Public Works to appoint its own sewer and water registrars, funds therefor to be obtained from the department's budget.

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the Board of Public Works to cover costs for installation of water meters throughout the Town and determine whether the money is to be provided for by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the treasury, by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, by borrowing through community facility loans from the U.S. Department of Agriculture Farmers Home Administration, or by accepting a grant from the U.S. Department of Agriculture Farmers Home Administration, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mr. Joseph Fowler that Article 40 be Dismissed.

By VOICE VOTE it was VOTED to Dismiss Article 40.

More than seven voters questioned the vote and a standing vote was taken. By rising count, "Yes" 48 – "No" 61, the Motion for Dismissal was Not Carried.

MOTION made by Mr. Domenic D'Eramo, Board of Public Works, that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $125,000.00 to be used by the Board of Public Works to cover costs for installation of water meters throughout the Town, said appropriation to be provided by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, by borrowing through community facility loans from the U.S. Department of Agriculture Farmers Home Administration, or by accepting a grant from the U.S. Department of Agriculture Farmers Home Administration.

This Motion requiring a two-thirds vote, a standing vote was taken. By rising count, "Yes" 58 – "No" 56, the Motion was Not Carried.

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Public Works to enter into a contract with the Town of Medfield for a connection into the existing Medfield Wastewater Treatment Plant, accept the Step I Facilities Plan prepared for the Town of Millis, apply for, accept and expend all available State and Federal funds to implement the Step I Facilities Plan, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mr. Joseph Fowler that Article 41 be Dismissed.

VOTED to Dismiss Article 41.

ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Public Works to enter into a contract with the Charles River Pollution Control District, Medway, Massachusetts, accept the Step I Facilities Plan prepared for the Town of Millis, apply for, accept and expend all available State and Federal funds to implement the Step I Facilities Plan, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mr. Joseph Fowler that Article 42 be Dismissed.

VOTED to Dismiss Article 42.

ARTICLE 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the Board of Public Works to defray engineering, survey and boring costs for the final design, for preparation of contract documents for the construction of a truck sewer, an inverted siphon and a connection into the existing Medfield Wastewater Treatment Plant, apply for, accept and expend all available State and Federal funds and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION Made by Mr. Joseph Fowler that Article 43 by Dismissed.

VOTED to Dismiss Article 43.

ARTICLE 44. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the Board of Public Works to defray engineering, survey and boring costs for the final design, for preparation of contract documents for the construction of a trunk sewer, and a connection into the Charles River Pollution Control District in Medway, Massachusetts, apply for, accept and expend all available State and Federal funds and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Law, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mr. Joseph Fowler that Article 44 be Dismissed.

VOTED to Dismiss Article 44.

ARTICLE 45. To see if the Town will vote to amend its by-laws by adding to Article VIII thereof the following new Section: "Section 31 – No driveway or other access to a public street shall be constructed or altered at the point of intersection with such street unless a written permit is first obtained from the Syperintendent of the Department of Public Works. No building permit shall be issued for the construction of a new building or structure unless such access permit has first been obtained.", or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town amend its by-laws by adding to Article VIII thereof the following new Section: "Section 31 – No driveway or other access to a public street shall be constructed or altered at the point of intersection with such street unless a written permit is first obtained from the Superintendent of the Department of Public Works. No building permit shall be issued for the construction of a new building or structure unless such access permit has first been obtained."

ARTICLE 46. To see if the Town will vote to accept or take by eminent domain or transfer a water distribution system easement from Edgar M. and Beverly A. Fagerheim, James M. and Anna M. McCaffrey and the Millis

Conservation Commission for municipal water distribution purposes beginning at a drill hole on Spencer Street in the Town of Millis which is the easterly most corner of parcel "D", Land of the Town of Millis Conservation Commission and the northerly most corner of Parcel "2B", Land of Edgar M. and Beverly A. Fagerheim being number 21 Spencer Street thence running:

S47 – 54-53W	342.84	to a point
S88 – 01-57W	60.12	to a point
S01 – 58-03E	108.03	to a point
N79 – 14-13W	20.50	to a point
N01 – 58-03W	123.51	to a point
N88 – 01-57E	72.82	to a point
N47 – 54-53E	339.01	to a point
S33 – 15-48E	9.85	to a point
S31 – 16-39E	10.45	to the point of beginning over

land of the Town of Millis Conservation Commission, Edgar M. and Beverly A. Fagerheim, James M. and Anna M. McCaffrey, more fully shown on a plan of land by Carlson and Company Land Surveyors, dated February 6, 1980, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town accept by transfer a water distribution system easement from Edgar M. and Beverly A. Fagerheim, James M. and Anna McCaffrey and the Millis Conservation Commission as described under Article 46, no funds to be expended.

ARTICLE 47. To see if the Town will vote to accept or to take by eminent domain a drainage easement from Paul M. Howard and Antonio J. D'Innocenzo as follows:

A strip of land 20′ wide situated on the westerly side of Plain Street beginning at a point on the westerly side of Plain Street at the northeast corner of said strip said point is situated A 17-17 50E 19.94 feet from the southeast corner of land of Donald S. March; thence running S 17-17-50E 20.06 feet by Plain Street to a point; thence running, S 76-58-42W 107.31 feet by land of Paul M. Howard et ux to a point; thence running N 17-17-50W 20.06 feet by land of Antonio J. D'Innocenzo et ux to a point; thence running, N 76-58-42E 107.31 feet by land of said Howard to the point of beginning, and a strip of land 20′ wide situated off the westerly side of Plain Street beginning at a point at the southeast corner of said strip at land of Stanley F. Petkiewich et ux; thence running S 85-58-25W 10.29 feet to a point; thence running, N 35-28-50W 341.73 feet to a point; thence running, N 09-58-42E 276.62 feet to a point; thence running N 76-58-42E 16.74 feet to a point at land of Paul M. Howard et ux. The last four lines bounded by land of Antonio J. D'Innocenzo et ux; thence running, S 17-17-50E 20.06 feet by land of said Howard to a point; thence running, S 76-58=42W 5.00 feet to a point; thence running, S-09-58-42W 255.00 feet to a point; thence running, S 35-28-50E 322.13 feet to a point at land of Peter Buchanan et ux. The last three lines being bounded by land of said D'Innocenzo thence running S 01-17-30E

20.03 feet by land of said Buchanan and land of said Petkiewich the point of beginning, more fully shown on a plan of land by Carlson and Company Land Surveyors, dated February 8, 1980,

or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mrs. Carol Mushnick, Finance Committee member, that Article 47 be Amended to read as follows:

A strip of land 20′ wide situated on the westerly side of Plain Street beginning at a point on the westerly side of Plain Street at the north-east corner of said strip said point is situated S 17-17-50E 19.94 feet from the southeast corner of land of Donald S. March; thence running S 17-17-50E 20.26 feet by Plain Street to a point; thence running S 76-58-42W 107.31 feet by land of Paul M. Howard et ux to a point; thence running, N 17-17-50W 20.06 feet by land of Antonio J. D'Innocenzo et ux to a point; thence running N 76-58-42E 107.31 feet by land of said Howard to the point of beginning, and a strip of land 20′ wide situated off the westerly side of Plain Street beginning at a point at the southeast corner of said strip at land of Stanley F. Petkiewich et ux; thence running S 85-58-25W 10.29 feet to a point; thence running N 35-28-50W 341.73 feet to a point; thence running N 89°-25′-29″ 536.16 feet to a point at land now or formerly Louis DeAngelis the last three lines bounded by land of D'Innocenzo; thence running N 23°-53′-51″W 21.97 feet by land of said DeAngelis to a point; thence running 589°-25′-29″ 548.57 feet to a point thence running N 09°-58′-42″E 256.35 feet to a point thence running N 76°-58′-42″ 16.74 feet to a point at land of Paul M. Howard et ux the last three lined bounded by land of D'Innocenzo; thence running, S17-17-50E 20.06 feet by land of said Howard to a point; thence running, S 09-58-42W 255.00 feet to a point; thence running, S 35-28-50E 322.13 feet to a point at land of Peter Buchanan et ux. The last three lines being bounded by land of said D'Innocenzo thence running S 01-17-30E 20.03 feet by land of said Buchanan and land of said Petkiewich the point of beginning, more fully shown on a plan of land by Carlson and Company Land Surveyors, dated February 8, 1980.

VOTED that the Town accept a drainage easement from Paul M. Howard and Antonio J. D'Innocenzo as described under Article 47, as amended, no funds to be expended.

ARTICLE 48. To see if the Town will vote to accept or take by eminent domain an easement from William J. and Jean M. Kerrivan and Huna Rosenfeld for the purpose of replacing or laying of drainage pipes beginning at the westerly side line, at the end of the accepted portion of Rosenfeld Road, Millis, Massachusetts, thencr running:

by the end of Rosenfeld Road N 73°-53′-13″ E 40.00
by land of William J. and Jean M. Kerrivan and
Huna Rosenfeld on a curve with a Length of
L = 100.85 and a Radius of R = 197.59

by Rosenfeld Road on a radial line S44-38-35W
40.00 by land of Huna Rosenfeld on a curve with
a Length of L - 121.27 and a Radius of
R = 237.59 to the point of beginning

The easement is intended to fall completely within Rosenfeld Road as shown on a plan by Carlson & Company dated February 7, 1980, filed herewith.

And an easement from William J. and Jean M. Kerrivan and Huna Rosenfeld off Rosenfeld Road over Lots 12 and 13 for the purpose of replacing, maintaining or laying of drainage pipes beginning at the easterly side of Rosenfeld Road (that portion being private) at the intersection of Lots 12 and 13 thence running:

by Rosenfeld Road on a curve with a Length of
L = 10.14 and a Radius of R = 197.59
over land of William J. and Jean M. Kerivan on a
bearing of N 58°-24'-06"E 278.51 feet which is 10 feet
and parallel with Kerivan southeasterly side line of Lot 13
by land of Jeremiah and Bridget D. Cronin S46°-34-20
E 10-35
by land of Robert H. and Barbara A. Bryant
S 46-03'-55" E 10.33
over land of Huna Rosenfeld on a bearing of
S 58-24-06 W 279.94 feet which is 10 feet and
parallel with Rosenfeld's northwesterly side line of
Lot 12
by Rosenfeld Road on a curve with a Length of
L = 10.24 and a Radius of R = 197.59 to the point of
beginning

The easement is intended to be 20.00 feet wide and run down the middle property line of Lots 12 and 13 and join a drain easement 20.00 feet wide running from Union Street. Recorded in Book 4031 Page 250; the easement in this instrument is more fully shown on a plan by Carlson & Company dated February 7, 1980, filed herewith, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town accept an easement from William J. and Jean M. Kerivan and Huna Rosenfeld for the purpose of replacing or laying of drainage pipes as described under Article 48, no funds to be expended.

ARTICLE 49. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the Board of Public Works for roadway construction throughout the Town and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, transfer from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or act in any manner relating thereto.

No Motion was made on Article 49.

ARTICLE 50. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or to transfer from available funds in the treasury the sum of $46,418. received from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under Chapter 356 of the Acts of 1971 for the design, construction and/or improvements of Town roads as determined by the Board of Public Works, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and transfer from the Chapter 356 account the sum of $46,418.00 to be used by the Board of Public Works for the design, construction and/or improvement of Town roads.

ARTICLE 51. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the treasury the sum of $29,514. received from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under Chapter 58 of the General Laws for the design, construction and/or improvements of Town roads as determined by the Board of Public Works, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and transfer from the Chapter 58 account the sum of $29,514.00 to be used by the Board of Public Works for the design, construction and/or improvement of Town roads.

ARTICLE 52. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or to transfer from available funds in the treasury the sum of $1,906. received from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under additional highway funds for the design construction and/or improvements of Town roads as determined by the Board of Public Works, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and transfer from the additional highway funds account the sum of $1,906.00 to be used by the Board of Public Works for the design, construction and/or improvement of Town roads.

ARTICLE 53. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by taxation or transfer from available funds in the treasury the sum of $49,934.43 for the design, construction and/or improvements of Town roads as determined by the Board of Public Works to be reimbursed by Massachusetts Department of Public Works, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $49,934.43 for the design, construction and/or improvements of Town roads as determined by the Board of Public Works to be reimbursed by the Massachusetts Department of Public Works.

ARTICLE 54. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by taxation or transfer from available funds in the treasury the sum of $9,838. for the design, construction and/or improvements of Town roads as determined by the Board of Public Works to be reimbursed from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under Section 13C of Chapter 64A as amended under Section 2 of Chapter 481 of the Acts of 1979, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $9,838.00 for the design, construction and/or improvements of Town roads as determined by the Board of Public Works to be reimbursed by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under Section 13C of Chapter 64A as amended under Section 2 of Chapter 481 of the Acts of 1979.

ARTICLE 55. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the Board of Public Works for the construction of a multi-facet recreational facility to be located on the site of the old Town disposal area, Island Road, and determine whether the money is to be provided for by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the treasury, by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, by borrowing through the U. S. Farmers Home Administration, or by accepting a 50% funding grant from the Federal Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mrs. Judith Ackerman that Article 55 be Dismissed.

VOTED to Dismiss Article 55.

ARTICLE 56. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the Board of Public Works for the construction of athletic facilities on Town-owned land and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mrs. Judith Ackerman that Article 56 be Dismissed.

By VOICE VOTE the Motion for Dismissal was Not Carried.

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $15,000.00 to be used by the Board of Public Works for the construction of athletic facilities on Town-owned land.

AMENDED MOTION made by Mr. George D. Cassidy that the appropriation be expended on the Town-owned land off Exchange Street, formerly Town highway yards, and other property to be acquired under Article 26 of the 1980 Annual Town Meeting.

By VOICE VOTE the Amended Motion was Carried.

VOTED that the Town raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $15,000.00 to be used by the Board of Public Works for the construction of athletic facilities on Town-owned land off Exchange Street, formerly Town highway yards, and other property to be acquired under Article 26 of the 1980 Annual Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 57. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Assessors to enter into a contract for an expert appraisal of all personal property within the Town, as provided under General Laws Chapter 59, 60A and 63, and to vote for the payment of the expenses incurred under the contract by taxation, by transfer from available funds, or by borrowing, or act in any manner relating thereto.

MOTION made by Mrs. Judith Ackerman that the Town vote to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $2,400.00 to be used by the Board of Assessors to enter into a contract for an expert appraisal of all personal property within the Town as provided under Chapter 59, 60A and 63 of the General Laws.

By VOICE VOTE the Motion was Not Carried.

ARTICLE 58. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and raise by taxation, or transfer from available funds in the treasury, a sum of money to reimburse Norfolk County for monies paid to Millis landowners because of the taking and relocation of Island Road, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of $17,023.53 to reimburse Norfolk County for monies paid to Millis landowners because of the taking and relocation of Island Road.

ARTICLE 59. To see if the Town will vote to have the Moderator appoint a committee which shall report to the next Annual Town Meeting on whatever matter is assigned to it at this meeting, or on whatever matter or matters may be presented to it by Town officials through the Board of Selectmen prior to the next Annual Town Meeting, or act in any manner relating thereto.

VOTED that the Town have the Moderator appoint a committee which shall report to the next Annual Town Meeting on whatever matter is assigned to it at this meeting, or on whatever matter or matters may be presented to it by Town officials through the Board of Selectmen prior to the next Annual Town Meeting.

MOTION made by Mr. Michael O'Brien that the Town vote to increase the appropriations limit established by Chapter 151 of the Acts of 1979 by $717,726.00 so that the appropriations limit as so increased will be $5,639,230.00.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED that the Town increase the appropriations limit established by Chapter 151 of the Acts of 1979 by $717,726.00 so that the appropriations limit as so increased will be $5,639,230.00.

VOTED to adjourn sine die at 11:18 p.m., the business of the meeting being completed.

Attest:

TOWN CLERK

TABULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS

Article 4.	
General Government	$ 215,395.00
Protection of Persons and Property	380,591.00
Health and Sanitation	88,767.00
Street Lighting – Traffic Signals	44,800.00
Department of Public Works	561,633.00
Veterans Benefits	35,598.00
Education	3,464,438.00
Public Library	56,770.00
Pensions	98,270.00
Unclassified	2,000.00
Insurance	194,563.00
Reserve Fund	30,782.00
Debt and Interest	86,901.00
Article 7.	
Establish Special Fund for Retirement Purposes	50,000.00
Article 8.	
Consultant for Impact of Pensions on Future Tax Rates	4,000.00
Article 10.	
Reimbursement to City of Chelsea for Payments Made to Earl G. Boyd	369.01
Artlcie 12.	
Purchase of Two New Police Cruisers	12,577.00
Article 13.	
1980 Model Fully-Equipped Police Motorcycle	6,800.00
Article 14.	
Summer Recreation Program for Physically and Mentally Handicapped Children	3,000.00
Article 15.	
New School Bus	23,598.00
Article 17.	
Town Unemployment Compensation	3,000.00
Article 26.	
Purchase of Land on Southeasterly Side of Main Street for Municipal Purposes	15,000.00

Article 27.		
Energy Conservation Measures for Public Facilities	$	8,000.00
Article 29.		
Contract for Consulting Services		2,500.00
Article 33.		
Heavy Duty Trailer Mounted Leaf Truck Loader (DPW)		5,000.00
Article 34.		
Continuation of Tree Care Program (DPW)		5,000.00
Article 35.		
New Diesel Farm Type Tractor (DPW)		9,300.00
Article 38.		
Implementation of Initial Engineering Studies for New Well at South End Pond		25,000.00
Article 53.		
Design, Construction and/or Improvements of Town Roads		49,934.43
Article 54.		
Design, Construction and/or Improvements of Town Roads		9,838.00
Article 56.		
Construction of Athletic Facilities on Town-owned Land		15,000.00
Article 58.		
Reimbursement to Norfolk County for Monies Paid to Millis Landowners for Taking and Relocation of Island Road		17,023.53
Grand Total – 1980 Appropriations		$5,525,447.97

TRANFERS

Article 4.	
Federal Revenue Sharing Account and/or interest earned on investment of funds to Police Department Wages	$ 130,000.00
Sewer Reserve to Expenses	32,288.92
Cemetery Trust Funds to DPW General Expenses	4,049.80
State Reimbursement to Library Expenses	2,450.25
Overlay Surplus to Reserve Fund	4,218.00
Available Funds to Reduce Tax Rate	551,005.00
Article 9.	
Refund by County on account of Dog Licenses to Library Expense Account	1,032.88
Article 18.	
Available Free Cash for Purchase of Fire Truck	81,336.00
Article 50.	
Chapter 356 Account to be used by Board of Public Works for Design, Construction, and/or Improvement of Town Roads	46,418.00
Article 51.	
Chapter 58 Account to be used by Board of Public Works for Design, Construction and/or Improvement of Town Roads	29,514.00
Article 52.	
From Additional Highway Funds Account to be used by Board of Public Works for Design, Construction and/or Improvement of Town Roads	1,906.00

RESULTS OF VOTES CAST AT STATE PRIMARY

SEPTEMBER 16, 1980

	Precinct I	Precinct II	Total
Democratic			
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS			
M. Earle Gaudette	18	23	41
Robert E. McCarthy	137	190	327
Blanks	11	18	29
COUNCILLOR			
George F. Cronin, Jr.	49	47	96
Thomas F. Cavanaugh	8	20	28
Thomas Joseph Donovan	87	141	228
Blanks	22	23	45
SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT			
Daniel P. Matthews	118	164	282
Blanks	48	67	115
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT			
Francis H. Woodward	111	145	256
Norman E. Vine	54	83	137
Blanks	1	3	4
COUNTY COMMISSIONER			
James J. Collins	95	100	195
George B. McDonald	82	117	199
Mary P. Collins	52	82	134
Blanks	103	163	266
SHERIFF			
Clifford H. Marshall	122	157	279
Blanks	44	74	118
Republican			
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS			
Margaret M. Heckler	41	67	108
Blanks	3	4	7
COUNCILLOR			
Blanks	44	71	115
SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT			
David H. Locke	40	65	105
Blanks	4	6	10

	Precinct	Precinct II	Total
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT			
Scattering	2	0	2
Blanks	42	71	113
COUNTY COMMISSIONER			
Blanks	88	142	230
SHERIFF			
Scattering	0	1	1
Blanks	44	70	114

RESULTS OF VOTES CAST AT STATE ELECTION

NOVEMBER 4, 1980

ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT			
Anderson and Lucey	248	348	596
Carter and Mondale	513	624	1137
Clark and Koch	18	18	36
Deberry and Zimmerman	0	3	3
Reagan and Bush	658	914	1572
Bubar and Dodge	0	1	1
Commoner and Harris	0	2	2
All Others	1	2	3
Blanks	18	14	32
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS TENTH DISTRICT			
Margaret M. Heckler	913	1213	2126
Robert E. McCarthy	500	647	1147
Blanks	43	66	109
COUNCILLOR SECOND DISTRICT			
George F. Cronin, Jr.	961	1237	2198
All Others	0	2	2
Blanks	495	687	1182
SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT NORFOLK, BRISTOL & MIDDLESEX DISTRICT			
David H. Locke	579	775	1354
Daniel P. Matthews	774	1039	1813
Blanks	103	112	215

	Precinct I	Precinct II	Total
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT NINTH NORFOLK DISTRICT			
Francis H. Woodward	1051	1377	2428
All Others	1	1	2
Blanks	404	548	952
COUNTY COMMISSIONER			
James J. Collins	873	1085	1958
George B. McDonald	799	993	1792
All Others	0	2	2
Blanks	1240	1772	3012
SHERIFF			
Clifford H. Marshall	951	1231	2182
All Others	1	2	3
Blanks	504	693	1197

QUESTION 1

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in joint sessions of the House of Representatives and the Senate on September 7, 1977, by a vote of 262-1, and on May 28, 1980, by a vote of 192-0?

Yes	879	1115	1994
No	500	677	1177
Blanks	77	134	211

SUMMARY

The proposed amendment would add a new article to the State Constitution which would prohibit discrimination against handicapped people. It would provide that no otherwise qualified handicapped individual could, on the sole basis of that handicap, be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or subjected to discrimination in any program or activity.

QUESTION 2

Law Proposed by Initiative Petition

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was disapproved by the House of Representatives on May 6, 1980, by a vote of 5-146, and on which no vote was taken by the Senate before May 7, 1980?

Yes	930	1276	2206
No	508	615	1123
Blanks	18	35	53

SUMMARY

The proposed law would limit certain taxes, and change laws relating to school budgets and compulsory binding arbitration. It would impose a limit on state and local taxes on real estate and personal property equal to 2½% of the full and fair cash value of the property being taxed. If a locality currently imposes a tax greater than 2½% of that cash value, the tax would have to be decreased by 15% each year until the 2½% level is reached. If a locality currently imposes a tax of less than 2½%, it would not be allowed to increase the tax rate. In either situation, a city or town could raise its limit by a 2/3 local vote at a general election.

The proposed law would provide that the total taxes on real estate and personal property imposed by the state or by localities could never be increased by more than 2½% of the total taxes imposed for the preceding year, unless two thirds of the voters agreed to the increase at a general election.

It would further provide that no law or regulation which imposes additional costs on a city or town, or a law granting or increasing tax exemptions, would be effective unless the state agrees to assume the added cost. A division of the State Auditor's Department would determine the financial effect of laws and regulations on the various localities.

The proposal would limit the amount of money required to be appropriated for public schools to that amount voted upon by the local appropriating authority. It would also repeal the law which provides for compulsory binding arbitration when labor negotiations concerning police and fire personnel come to an impasse. In addition, the petition would provide that no county, district, or authority could impose any annual increase in costs on a locality of greater than 4% of the total of the year before.

The proposed law would also reduce the maximum excise tax rate on motor vehicles from $66 per thousand to $25 per thousand, and it would allow a state income tax deduction equal to one half of the rent paid for the taxpayer's principal place of residence.

QUESTION 3	Precinct I	Precinct II	Total
Law Proposed by Initiative Petition			
Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was disapproved by the House of Representatives on May 6, 1980, by a vote of 2-147, and on which no vote was taken by the Senate before May 7, 1980?			
Yes	502	560	1062
No	879	1248	2127
Blanks	75	118	193

SUMMARY

The proposed law would limit local property taxes and state taxes and would provide for increased state aid for local educational purposes.

The act would limit local property taxes in the years 1981 through 1984 to the amount levied in the previous year increased by the percentage increase in personal income of the residents of the Commonwealth during the previous year. The local property tax limit could be exceeded to offset decreases in local aid, to cover shortages for prior years and to pay court judgments. Pension and retirement allowances, payments to other governmental units, principal and interest on any indebtedness, unemployment compensation, amounts required to be raised as a condition of a state or federal grant, and costs for special education programs would be excluded from the property tax limit.

These local limits would be reduced by any excess taxes actually collected over the tax limit for the preceding year. The limit would not apply to any municipality having a general tax rate of less than $35 per thousand of equalized valuation. The tax limit could be exceeded by a two-thirds vote of the local appropriating body.

The cost of regional and independent vocational schools would be subject to the same limitations.

The proposed law would also limit state taxes imposed in the years 1981 through 1984 to an amount no greater than that imposed the previous year, increased by the percentage increase in the personal income of Massachusetts residents in the previous year. This state tax limit could be exceeded only to increase local aid or to assume other costs approved by a two-thirds vote of the state legislature. The amounts necessary to pay principal and interest on state indebtedness, pensions, retirement allowances, unemployment compensation, and court judgments, and money required to be raised as a condition of a federal grant would not be subject to the state tax limit. The total amount of local aid for any year which would be subject to legislative appropriation could not be less than the total amount of aid for the preceding year increased by half the increase in collected state taxes during that preceding year. The state tax limit would be reduced by any excess taxes actually collected over the tax limit for the preceding year.

The proposed law also would require, subject to legislative appropriation, a gradual increase in the percentage of local educational costs paid by the Commonwealth to a level of 50% in 1984. The proposal would also require, again subject to legislative appropriation, that school aid paid by the Commonwealth in any year between 1981 through 1984 must be at least 15% greater than that provided in 1980.

QUESTION 4

Referendum on an Existing Law

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was approved by the House of Representatives on November 1, 1979, by a vote of 83-62, and which was approved by the Senate on November 1, 1979?

	Precinct I	Precinct II	Total
Yes	138	191	329
No	1256	1614	2870
Blanks	62	121	183

SUMMARY

The law provides for increases in the salaries of members of the legislature and the constitutional officers of the Commonwealth.

The law increases salaries of members of the legislature by an annual amount varying from $1,853 to $17,923. The size of the raise conferred on a particular individual depends upon his position within the legislature. The law has the effect of setting the base salary for a legislator at $20,335, but under the law legislative salaries range as high as the approximately $55,920 paid to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The salaries of the constitutional officers are increased either by $20,000, in the case of the Governor, or $10,000 in all other cases. The law raises the annual salary of the Governor to $60,000, that of the Attorney General to $47,500, and the salaries of the Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of the Commonwealth, Treasurer and Receiver General, and the Auditor to $40,000.

The law also amends the statutes pertaining to the organization of the offices of the Secretaries of Administration and Finance and of Human Services and to the compensation of senior officials within those offices. It gives the Secretaries of Administration and Finance and of Human Services greater flexibility in establishing positions and setting salaries for those under their supervision.

QUESTION 5

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in joint sessions of the House of Representatives and the Senate on November 30, 1977, by a vote of 257-8, and on September 18, 1980, by a vote of 179-6?

Yes	912	1275	2187
No	408	470	878
Blanks	136	181	317

SUMMARY

The proposed amendment would limit the power of the legislature to impose certain costs on cities and towns. It would provide that any law which imposes additional costs upon two or more cities or towns by regulating the compensation, hours, status, conditions, or benefits of municipal employment would not be effective within a municipality until it accepts the law by vote or appropriation of money. Local acceptance would not be required if the legislature either passed the law by a two-thirds vote, or provided, during the same session in which the law was enacted, that the additional costs would be assumed by the Commonwealth.

QUESTION 6	Precinct I	Precinct II	Total
Proposed Amendment to the Constitution			
Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in joint sessions of the House of Representatives and the Senate on September 7, 1977, by a vote of 264-0, and on September 19, 1980, by a vote of 162-0?			
Yes	355	493	848
No	978	1267	2245
Blanks	123	166	289

SUMMARY

The proposed amendment would change the procedure by which the Legislature declares a measure to be an emergency law, making it effective when it is signed by the Governor. The amendment would allow the Legislature to make such a declaration by a voice vote, rather than by a recorded vote, as now required. The amendment would maintain the existing option allowing for a formal roll call vote.

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

The following is the report of the financial transactions of the Town of Millis for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1980.

At this time I would like to express my appreciation to Mrs. Mary Germano for her splendid assistance during the year and to all other individuals and departments within the Town Government for their assistance and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE D. CASSIDY, JR.
Town Accountant

TOWN OF MILLIS

ASSETS

HUD Home Improvement Grant		
Cash – HUD	4,115.07	
Total		4,115.07
Federal Revenue Sharing		
Cash – Revenue Sharing	2,069.57	
Invested Cash	140,000.00	
Total		142,069.57
Town Accounts		
Total Cash		1,777,694.62
Cash – General Accounts	27,694.62	
Cash – Certificates of Deposit	1,750,000.00	
RE Taxes –		
1978 and Prior Years	22,435.62	
1979	50,425.28	
1980	92,452.35	
Personal Property Taxes		3,138.63
1978 and Prior Years	658.38	
1979	612.30	
1980	1,867.95	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes		133,444.43
1977 and Prior Years	2,055.26	
1978	6,869.87	
1979	26,282.36	
1980	98,236.94	
Tax Titles		10,381.44
Tax Possessions		10,752.11
Tax Collectors Petty Cash		55.00

Water Apportioned Charges		404.06
1978 and Prior Years	113.42	
1979	290.64	
Water Committed Interest		654.61
1976	78.45	
1977	207.92	
1978	115.73	
1979	252.51	
Water and Meter Rates		95,505.72
1979 and Prior Years	45,945.16	
1980	49,560.56	
Water Added to Taxes		3,250.17
1979 and Prior Years	178.17	
1980	3,072.00	
Sewer Rental		37,912.31
1978 and Prior Years	14.65	
1979	18,876.90	
1980	19,020.76	
Sewer Added to Taxes		(1,005.65)
1979 and Prior Years	(367.75)	
1980	(637.90)	
Sewer Apportioned Charges		
1978		286.76
Sewer Committed Interest		
1978		25.84
State Aid to Highways		24,977.52
Veterans Benefits Due from State		4,572.02
Loans Authorized		485,000.00
Revenue 1981		5,055,778.97
	Total Assets	$7,954,326.45

LIABILITIES

Community Development Block Grant	4,115.07	
Total		4,115.07
Federal Grant Revenue Sharing	12,069.57	
Transfer of Appropriation Acct –		
Police Wages	130,000.00	
Total		142,069.57
Revenues Reserved until Collected		321,161.34
Motor Vehicle Excise	133,444.43	
Tax Titles	21,133.55	
Water Department	99,814.56	
Sewer Department	37,219.26	
Aid to Highway	24,977.52	
Departmental	4,572.02	
Tailings		2,210.03

LIABILITIES (Cont'd.)

Reserve for Tax Collectors Petty Cash		55.00
Water Guarantee Entry Fee Deposit		200.00
Water Guarantee Deposit		2,220.99
Loans Authorized and Unissued		485,000.00
State Assessments		1,983.01
Chapter 766	5,531.00	
M.B.T.A.	(5,967.77)	
State Recreation Areas	(1,371.76)	
Mosquito Control	2,952.48	
Met. Boston Air Pollution	265.49	
Met. Area Planning	(29.88)	
County Tax	603.45	
County Retirement Payroll W/H		5,032.10
Blue Cross Employees Share of Charges		15,892.11
Group Life Insurance Employees Share of Charges		639.36
Recreation Dept. Revolving Fund		4,072.53
Police Wages/Special Duty Revolving Fund		(345.87)
School-Drivers Training Revolving Fund		180.00
School-Cafeteria Revolving Fund		1,164.34
Departmental Gasoline Charges Revolving Fund		2,224.97
School Dept. State Grants		11,764.00
ESEA Title 6-80-187-370W	2,860.30	
ESEA Title 1-80-187-025	1,598.97	
ESEA Title 1-80-187-239W	1,700.00	
ESEA Title 1-80-187-242-3	1,290.80	
Boston College Incentive Grant	4,111.50	
ESEA Title 6B-1980	202.43	
Cemetery Funds		9,120.01
Perpetual Care Bequests	525.00	
Lots and Graves	6,200.00	
Trust Funds Earned Interest	2,395.01	
Sewer Receipts Reserved		42,554.47
Reserve Fund Overlay Surplus		.49
State Highway Funds Reserved for Appropriation		31,418.00
Highway Fund – 1980	29,511.00	
Special Highway Gas Tax	1,907.00	
Special Account – Contract Bid Deposits		11,925.00
Pride Committee Funds		3.90
Bi-Centennial Committee Funds		272.85
Dog Officer Share License Fee		(24.00)
Water Available Surplus		35,521.45
Transfer of Appropriation Control		5,728,661.82
Overlay		71,540.21

1974	5.58	
1978	21,145.10	
1979	(4,211.30)	
1980	54,600.83	
Surplus Revenue		706,740.68
Appropriation Account Balances		316,953.02
	Total Liabilities	7,954,326.45

APPROPRIATION BALANCES RESERVED

Chapter 356 FY 80	18,891.93
CETA Consortium Uniforms	(56.50)
Korean & Vietnam Veterans Memorial	2,095.00
Police Station Addition	40,000.00
Wastewater Treatment Facility	8,205.75
New Dump Final Grading	20,000.00
Cole-Thorne Property Purchase	1,000.00
Orchard St. Traffic Control	400.00
Phase 3 Dover Rd. Sidewalk	2,815.32
Drainage Projects	6,893.01
Revaluation	20,000.00
Town Hall Exits Design & Construction	4,750.00
Computer & Related Expenses	1,204.92
Forest Rd. Bridge Design	25,400.00
Orchard St. Bridge Repair	518.00
Special Legal Fees	14,961.55
Vault Door	2,000.00
Police Station Arch. Contract	2,100.00
Grant Consultant Fee	637.50
Glen Ellen Appraisal Contract	2,500.00
State Grant Police Motorcycle	(5,500.00)
Teachers Salaries Encumbered	125,856.96
Demolish Town Shed Contract	2,000.00
Police Station Committee Expense	1,214.59
Unemployment Insurance	14,204.74
Clear Main Street Land Enc.	2,000.00
Drainage Pipe Work Exchange Street Enc.	2,000.00
Craftsmen's Sign Deposit Enc.	510.00
Wayside Printing Enc.	110.25
Niagara Hall Mural Enc.	240.00
	316,953.02

Cash Receipts 1980

Revenue Sharing Grant	129,529.00	
Revenue Sharing Grant Interest	9,612.71	
HUD Grant	42,500.00	
Grants Total		181,641.71
Taxes – Real Estate		3,286,164.45
1977 –	926.10	
1978 –	16,561.78	
1979 –	71,737.29	
1980 –	3,196,939.28	
Personal Property		138,293.36
1977 –	135.00	
1978 –	446.25	
1979 –	1,014.30	
1980 –	136,697.81	
Motor Vehicle Excise		514,882.73
1976 –	44.00	
1977 –	427.43	
1978 –	7,704.30	
1979 –	246,355.96	
1980 –	260,351.04	
Tax Titles		5,075.02
Interest Receipts		123,254.42
Real Estate	12,145.01	
1977 – 200.89		
1978 – 2,593.14		
1979 – 5,781.66		
1980 – 3,569.32		
Motor Vehicle Excise	1,864.00	
1976 – 1.25		
1977 – 21.36		
1978 – 346.45		
1979 – 1,409.46		
1980 – 85.48		
Tax Title	1,394.23	
Investment General Cash	107,851.18	
Receipts from State		1,361,325.48

Chapt. 70	769,567.00	
Building Asst.	52,285.74	
Transportation	55,483.00	
School Lunches	61,818.66	
Lottery	53,383.00	
Local Aid, etc.	120,494.00	
Chap. 76 (tuition)	6,019.00	
Chap. 41	3,522.50	
Widow & Elderly Abate	14,455.10	
Police Incentive	3,734.38	
Special Needs	863.00	
Chap. 74	986.00	
Chap. 58	29,514.00	
Chap. 59 Blind	262.50	
Gov. Highway Safety	995.00	
Highway	77,835.00	
Library	2,450.25	
Special Gas Tax Highway	1,907.00	
Veterans	18,267.35	
T6-370W	38,325.00	
80-187-025	27,682.00	
T1-239W	1,700.00	
Occ. Ed.	1,254.00	
242-3	7,220.00	
6B-80	4,102.00	
BC Inc. Gr.	7,200.00	
Federal Rec.		
Corps of Engineers		183.00
Receipts for County		1,032.88
Dog License	1,032.88	
Payroll Deductions		145,073.99
Retirement	47,124.96	
Blue Cross	94,088.37	
Group Insurance	3,860.66	
Water Department Rec.		138,193.68
Water & Meter	107,934.54	
Wated add — 78	81.00	
79	759.50	
80	24,999.39	
Water appor. 78	108.65	
79	1,160.82	

Wat. Com.		
Int. – 78	105.15	
79	998.57	
Wat. Guar. Dep.	2,846.06	
Wat. Guar. Entry Fee	200.00	
Sewer Dept. Rec.		38,572.47
Sewer Rental	24,574.86	
Sew. Add – 78	36.00	
80	12,942.49	
Sew. App. – 79	961.45	
Sew. Con. Int.79	57.67	
Trust Fund Earned Interest		2,355.01
Cemetery	2,355.01	
Cemetery Dept. Rec.		8,447.00
Lots and Graves	4,175.00	
Perpetual Care	150.00	
Burials	3,840.00	
Foundations	282.00	
Miscellaneous Receipts		120,423.13
Cert. of Lien	2,190.00	
Copy Machine	34.50	
Zoning Books & Maps	142.10	
Building Inspector Fees	225.00	
Building Permits	5,546.25	
Wiring Permits	1,949.50	
Recycled Paper	977.15	
Common Vict. Lic.	250.00	
Liquor Lic.	6,965.00	
Innholders Lic.	50.00	
Medicare Reimbursement	29,290.96	
Nursing Fees	15,671.14	
Board of Health Fees	363.50	
Septic Perm.	637.00	
Swimming Pool Perm.	320.00	
Perc Test & Well Perm.	1,250.00	
Plumbing Permits	1,333.00	
Gas Permits	1,318.00	
Food Serving Perm.	805.00	
Transport Offal	175.00	
Milk & Oleo Lic.	34.00	
Insurance Claims	1,972.14	
Library Fines	458.05	
Court Fines	17,738.19	
County Hosp. Assessment	9,582.17	

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS (Cont'd.)

Police Reports	424.00	
Pistol Permits	70.00	
Firearms I.D.	2.00	
Ambulance Fees	2,471.00	
Appeal Board Fees	754.00	
Conservation Fees	125.00	
Sealer of Weights & Measures Fees	329.60	
Septic Dumping Fee	25.00	
Landfill Permits	387.00	
Recycled Glass	428.55	
Recycled Metal	944.27	
DPW Rec.	1,012.08	
School vand., lost books, etc.	1,348.40	
School telephone com.	189.47	
Raffle Per.	70.00	
Yard Sales	8.00	
Sign Dep.	510.00	
Gas Storage	31.00	
Tri-county Refund	8,594.94	
Refunds	2,365.03	
Juke Box Lic.	20.00	
Betterment Rel.	10.00	
Resident Listing	18.00	
Christmas Tree Sales	10.00	
Norwood CETA	568.80	
Amusement Lic.	490.00	
Bowling Lic.	75.00	
Motor Vehicle Lic.	300.00	
Secondhand Lic.	100.00	
Taxi Lic.	2.00	
HUD Supplies	88.50	
Sign Removal	36.79	
Earth Removal	20.00	
Skeet Shoot Permit	25.00	
Witness Fee Reimb.	8.40	
Cafeteria Use	19.88	
Temporary Loan		300,000.00
Withdrawal of Invested Cash		3,050,000.00
From Federal Revenue Sharing		307,000.00
Withdrawn Inv.	207,000.00	
Police Wages	100,000.00	
From HUD – Com. Dev.		38,384.93
Anti Recession		898.40

Special Police	16,383.63
School Lunches	104,172.60
Athletic Rec.	6,859.51
Summer Music	923.00
Custodial Rev.	1,732.21
Dog Fees – Town Share	724.00
Adult Education	4,865.30
Dog License Fees	2,293.15
Recreation Rev.	6,011.85
Driver Training Rev.	819.00
Veterans Memorial	595.00
Deposits, etc.	12,446.60

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Selectmen's Salaries				600.00	600.00	600.00		
Selectmen's Expense				2,605.00	2,605.00	2,605.00		
Dues	519.00							
4th of July	923.05							
Emp. Physicals	85.00							
Safe Dep. Rental	42.00							
Boundary Marker	50.30							
Printing	57.50							
Meetings	238.60							
Elderly Fuel Grant Town Share	108.85							
Land Survey – Thorne Prop.	175.00							
Niagara Hall Bldg. Sign	300.00							
Engraving	10.81							
Periodicals	44.00							
Misc. Expense	50.89							
Accountant Salary				5,800.00	5,800.00	5,800.00		
Accountant Clerical				1,638.00	1,638.00	1,638.00		
Accountant Expense				1,226.00	1,226.00	1,226.00		
Telephone	345.13							
Office Supplies	151.46							
Auto Reimb.	346.91							
Postage	136.00							
Dues	10.00							
Printing	181.91							
Rubbish Removal	30.00							
Lamp	8.59							
Meeting	16.00							

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Treasurer Salary				2,912.00	2,912.00	2,912.00		
Treasurer Clerical				1,638.00	1,638.00	1,638.00		
Treasurer Expense				1,765.00	1,765.00	1,620.69	144.31	
Postage	1,152.61							
Auto Reimb.	147.91							
Dues	35.00							
Telephone	66.00							
Office Supplies	219.17							
Treasurer Tax Title				1,000.00	1,000.00	23.43	976.57	
Forms	23.43							
Tax Collector Salary				3,120.00	3,120.00	3,120.00		
Tax Collector Clerical				3,276.00	3,276.00	3,276.00		
Tax Collector Expense			523.00	3,950.00	4,473.00	4,473.00		
Telephone	316.97							
Postage	2,162.91							
Office Supplies	1,215.32							
Printing	77.40							
Periodical	64.00							
Typewriter	150.00							
Microfilm, etc.	223.00							
Meetings	263.40							
Tax Collector Tax Taking				100.00	100.00	100.00		
Adv.	14.85							
Mileage	4.50							
Forms	80.65							

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Tax Collector Office Equipment				100.00	100.00	100.00		
Typewriter	100.00							
Assessors Salaries				1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00		
Assessors Clerical				12,544.00	12,544.00	11,349.27	1,194.73	
Assessors Expense			2,615.50	2,428.00	5,043.50	5,017.71	25.79	$2,500.00 JE'd out
Deeds	168.17							
Office Supplies	522.80							
Telephone	349.68							
Postage	289.88							
Bindings	211.00							
Adv.	254.10							
Service Contract	66.00							
Deed Research	56.00							
Meetings	137.94							
Auto Reimb.	68.15							
Copy Machine	194.45							
Periodicals	92.55							
Safety Dep. Rental	11.00							
Dues	96.00							
Assessors Maps Updating				950.00	950.00	950.00		
Assessors Valuation Updating				4,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00		
Assessors Rent				2,100.00	2,100.00	2,100.00		
Town Clerk Salary				1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00		
Town Clerk Clerical				10,732.00	10,732.00	10,732.00		

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Town Clerk Expense				1,387.00	1,387.00	1,358.92	28.08	
Telephone	514.14							
Recordings	218.00							
Postage	125.78							
Dues	22.00							
Office Supplies	133.70							
Equip. Rep.	80.00							
Advertising	201.30							
Printing	52.00							
Periodical	12.00							
Election Officers Wages				3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00		
Election Clerical				100.00	100.00	100.00		
Election Expense				2,446.00	2,446.00	2,013.49	432.51	
Constable	70.00							
Postage	103.00							
Printing	839.96							
Food	235.00							
37 Electros	260.00							
Office Supplies	392.98							
Equip. Rep.	112.55							
Registrars Salaries				455.00	455.00	455.00		
Registrars Wages				700.00	700.00	700.00		
Registrar Expense				2,180.00	2,180.00	2,175.50	4.50	
Printing	1,185.34							
Postage	694.00							
Office Supplies	266.16							
Constable	30.00							

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Town Office Clerical				36,817.00	36,817.00	36,161.07	655.93	
Town Office Expense			1,002.62	9,833.00	10,835.62	10,738.58	97.04	
Office Supplies	605.32							
Auto Reimb.	62.50							
Copy Machine Sup.	795.15							
Contracts	1,486.12							
Periodicals	352.30							
Postage	558.50							
Advertising	407.54							
Telephone	1,726.70							
NCR Supplies	4,004.38							
Meetings	91.50							
School	150.00							
Printing	212.01							
Microfilming	103.81							
Equip. Repair	114.09							
Miscellaneous	68.66							
Town Reports				3,800.00	3,800.00	3,744.25	55.75	
Legal Services				11,000.00	11,000.00	11,000.00		
Legal Expenses				750.00	750.00	610.34	139.66	
Court Fees	497.93							
Photocopying	26.60							
Telephone	45.81							
Dues	40.00							
Finance Committee Clerical				1,349.00	1,349.00	1,349.00		
Finance Committee Expense			327.38	1,443.00	1,770.38	1,770.38		
Dues	70.00							

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Finance Comm. Exp. (Cont.)								
Periodicals	15.50							
Postage	207.48							
Printing	1,477.40							
Personnel Comm. Clerical				50.00	50.00	50.00		
Building Janitor Wages				2,839.00	2,839.00	2,421.90	417.10	
Building Fuel			3,327.32	9,640.00	12,967.32	12,967.32		
Fuel	12,150.03							
Service	817.29							
Building Electricity			1,862.83	6,400.00	8,262.83	8,053.29	209.54	
Building Maintenance				4,325.00	4,325.00	3,936.90	388.10	
Contract								
Cleaning	2,317.00							
Rubbish Removal	159.00							
Repairs	107.11							
Paper Supplies	530.33							
Miscellaneous Supplies	681.72							
Electrical Supplies	141.74							
Building Spec. Exp.			200.00	700.00	900.00	782.66	117.34	
Insulate Rockville FS	272.16							
Windows Rockville FS	310.50							
Rep. old DPW Bldg.	200.00							
Conservation Committee Clerical				350.00	350.00	292.83	57.17	
Conservation Committee Expense				325.00	325.00	227.85	97.15	
Postage	34.18							
Printing	45.00							

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Conservation Comm. Exp. (Cont.)								
Office Supplies	11.79							
Auto Reimb.	26.22							
Dues	75.00							
Advertising	10.95							
Telephone	14.71							
Meeting	10.00							
Animal Inspector Salary				360.00	360.00	360.00		
Animal Inspector Expense				50.00	50.00	50.00		
Auto Reimb.	50.00							
Planning Board Salaries				500.00	500.00	500.00		
Planning Board Clerical				961.00	961.00	961.00		
Planning Board Expense				290.00	290.00	237.47	12.53	$40.00 JE'd out
Postage	36.31							
Advertisement	145.16							
Deeds	2.50							
Auto Reimb.	3.50							
Dues	50.00							
Planning Board Eng. Fees			40.00	5,000.00	5,040.00	5,040.00		
Appeal Board Salaries				400.00	400.00	400.00		
Appeal Board Clerical				577.00	577.00	577.00		
Appeal Board Expense			246.00	330.00	576.00	530.50	45.50	
Postage	60.00							
Adv.	443.00							
Periodical	27.50							

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Recreation Department Wages				6,256.00	6,256.00	6,239.51	16.49	
Rrecreation Department Expense				2,000.00	2,000.00	1,685.93	314.07	
Telephone	262.28							
Sports Equip. & Unif.	791.96							
Custodian	29.72							
Office Supplies	251.19							
Awards	167.80							
Supplies	91.78							
Auto Reimb.	16.20							
Copy Center	75.00							
Recreation Revolving Fund		2,000.00	6,011.85		8,011.85	3,939.32		4,072.53
Telephone	133.13							
Custodian	174.04							
Police EMT	168.00							
Awards	75.55							
Sports Equip. & Unif.	2,113.22							
Copy Center Exp.	117.90							
Refund	10.00							
Food	111.44							
Bus Hire	320.00							
Printing	115.35							
Supplies	147.69							
Game Tickets	358.00							
Movies	95.00							
Council on Aging Expense				1,000.00	1,000.00	943.57	56.43	
Bus Hire	773.70							
Office Supplies	59.62							
Envelopes	110.25							

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Regional Refuse Com. Expense				50.00	50.00	49.50	.50	
Auto Reimb.	49.50							
Police Regular Wages				177,956.00	177,956.00	175,207.56	2,748.44	
Police Clerical				350.00	350.00	350.00		
Police Expense			10,636.18	27,435.00	37,056.77	38,071.18	1,014.41	
Telephone	4,426.99							
Medical	1,163.77							
Chief's Expense	177.00							
Uniforms	3,502.82							
Ammunition	1,322.08							
Supplies	1,992.32							
Tires	729.77							
Auto Rep. & Parts	2,178.49							
Office Supplies	1,121.64							
Equip. & Equip. Rep.	1,209.10							
Photo Equip. & Sup.	1,051.00							
Radio Rep. Parts	570.38							
Gas & Oil	16,649.59							
Food	37.04							
Dues	124.00							
Award	27.68							
Equip. Rental	300.00							
Periodical	42.50							
Flag	22.00							
Adv.	10.00							
Oxygen	52.00							
Printing	222.35							

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Police Expense (Cont.)								
Lumber	78.99							
Postage	8.00							
Auto Reimb.	37.26							
Police Equipment				2,556.00	2,556.00	2,188.10	367.90	
Radio	714.20							
Identi-kit	300.00							
AAA Police Sup.	799.90							
Motorola	374.00							
Police Out of State Travel				300.00	300.00	300.00		
Police Revolving Wages			16,383.63		16,383.63	16,729.50		-345.87
Ambulance Wages				8,540.00	8,540.00	8,449.00	91.00	
Ambulance Expense			452.70	2,110.00	2,562.70	2,562.70		
Oxygen	183.00							
Laundry	71.50							
Med. Supplies	590.30							
Repair & Parts	223.61							
Gas	840.88							
Uniforms	116.10							
Tires	52.11							
Reg. Fee	40.00							
Radio Rep. & Parts	154.50							
Postage	166.00							
Bills	53.00							
Blankets	71.70							
Building Insp. & Asst. Salaries				2,900.00	2,900.00	2,900.00		

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Building Insp. & Asst. Wages			126.75	2,272.00	2,398.75	2,398.75		
Building Inspector Clerical				1,244.00	1,244.00	1,244.00		
Building Insp. Court & School				400.00	400.00	250.00	150.00	
Wire Insp. & Asst. Salary				625.00	625.00	625.00		
Wire Insp. & Asst. Wages			323.50	1,400.00	1,723.50	1,723.50		
Wire Insp. Expense				232.00	232.00	230.09	1.91	
Telephone	57.21							
Postage	21.82							
Meetings	69.00							
Periodicals	28.20							
Dues	25.00							
Supplies	28.86							
Dog Officer Salary				8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00		
Dog Officer Expense				600.00	600.00	600.00		
Auto Reimb.	600.00							
Civil Defense Salary				200.00	200.00	200.00		
Civil Defense Wages				125.00	125.00	125.00		
Civil Defense Expense				475.00	475.00	468.39	6.61	
Gas Tank Base	70.00							
Radio Parts & Repair	261.00							
Supplies	49.39							
Blankets	88.00							
Civil Defense Comm. Equip.				500.00	500.00	497.00	3.00	
Fire Salaries				16,604.00	16,604.00	14,534.00	2,070.00	

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Fire Wages			898.41	22,080.00	22,978.41	22,978.41		
Fire Clerical				224.00	224.00	224.00		
Fire Expense			2,000.00	6,800.00	8,800.00	8,772.80	27.20	
Telephone	436.82							
Supplies	873.94							
Radio Rep.	656.32							
Truck Repair	1,776.78							
Tires	756.44							
Equip. & Equip. Repair	1,427.75							
Uniforms	683.70							
Office Supplies	42.64							
Dues	75.50							
Periodicals	499.13							
Fire Ext. Refills	26.00							
Oxygen	40.50							
Meetings	99.00							
Auto Reimb.	147.45							
Bottled Gas	152.53							
Gas	1,078.30							
Fire Equipment & Hose				6,800.00	6,800.00	6,740.42	59.58	
Police & Fire Alarm Wages			2,290.24	53,380.00	55,670.24	55,371.64	298.60	
Police & Fire Alarm Expense				500.00	500.00	469.20	30.80	
Uniforms	376.20							
Printing	93.00							
Sealer of Weights & Measures Salary				160.00	160.00	160.00		

	Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Sealer of Weights & Measures Expense			300.00	300.00	300.00		
Weight Set 50.65							
Die 8.36							
Auto Reimb. 240.99							
Board of Health Members Salaries			400.00	400.00	400.00		
Nurses Salaries & Wages			26,620.00	26,620.00	26,198.43	421.57	
Board of Health Agent Wages			2,500.00	2,500.00	1,148.40	1,351.60	
Board of Health Clerical			8,892.00	8,892.00	8,391.91	500.09	
Board of Health Expense		70.40	5,325.00	5,395.40	4,653.62	741.78	
Auto Reimb. 579.34							
Medical Supplies 908.45							
Telephone 772.77							
Answering Service 300.00							
Office Supplies 495.93							
Zip Call 261.00							
School 147.00							
Postage 447.45							
Periodicals 85.76							
Typewriter 341.00							
Dues 140.00							
Advertising 40.75							
Miscellaneous Supplies 34.57							
Water Analysis 99.50							
Board of Health Contract Serv.			21,675.00	21,675.00	18,468.56	3,206.44	
Occup. Therapy 36.00							
Physical Therapy 8,042.95							
Home Health Aide 10,180.36							

	Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Board of Health Contract Serv. (Cont.)							
Engineering 100.00							
Rabies Clinic 109.25							
Board of Health Garbage Disposal			15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00		
Board of Health Milk Inspector			75.00	75.00	75.00		
Plumbing & Gas Inspector Salaries			1,220.00	1,220.00	1,220.00		
Plumbing & Gas Inspector Wages		43.25	980.00	1,023.25	1,023.25		
Norfolk Mental Health			1,753.00	1,753.00	1,753.00		
Street Lighting			42,000.00	42,000.00	40,316.55	1,683.45	
Traffic Signal Electricity			1,500.00	1,500.00	1,294.96	205.04	
Traffic Signal Repair			750.00	750.00	610.93	139.07	
DPW Comm. Salaries			600.00	600.00	600.00		
DPW Clerical			18,542.00	18,542.00	18,324.60	217.40	
DPW Comm. Expense			500.00	500.00	500.00		
Office Supplies 489.80							
Typewriter Repairs 10.20							
Sewer Registrar			327.00	327.00	327.00		
Sewer Collector Salary			246.00	246.00	246.00		
Sewer Clerical			500.00	500.00	500.00		
Sewer Wages			27,621.00	27,621.00	22,983.14	4,637.86	
Sewer Expense			37,781.00	37,781.00	36,701.35	1,079.65	
Electricity 18,232.95							
Telephone 380.95							

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Sewer Expense (Cont.)								
Hired Equipment	1,487.32							
Comp. Billing	275.64							
Supplies	3,280.93							
Chemicals	1,567.18							
Elect. Repairs	242.00							
Equip. & Equip. Repairs	7,388.94							
Uniforms	408.20							
Gas	779.20							
Sand	1,719.99							
Auto Reimb.	52.00							
Postage	780.00							
Survey Forms	106.05							
Water Registrar				383.00	383.00	383.00		
Water Collector				324.00	324.00	324.00		
Water Clerical				500.00	500.00	500.00		
Water Wages				16,093.00	16,093.00	15,598.80		134.20
Water Expense				50,115.00	50,115.00	50,115.00		
Electricity	37,015.94							
Telephone	248.07							
Gas	1,531.56							
Propane Gas	82.00							
Hired Equipment	975.00							
Water Easements	200.00							
Advertising	113.15							
Fittings & Supplies	5,307.76							

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Water Expense (Cont.)								
Elec. Repairs	251.20							
Uniforms	226.80							
Lab Testing	340.65							
Equipment	2,012.05							
Comp. Billing	1,313.08							
Dues	165.00							
Auto Reimb.	154.74							
Periodicals	88.00							
Police	90.00							
Water Debt				56,400.00	56,400.00	56,400.00		
Water Interest				11,103.64	11,103.64	10,553.64	550.00	
DPW General Wages				190,904.00	190,904.00	170,130.62	20,773.38	
DPW General Expense				174,380.00	174,380.00	163,928.10	10,451.90	
Disposal Area	28,000.00							
Town Shed Demol.	2,000.00 enc.							
Clear Main St. Land	2,000.00 enc							
Drainage Pipe	2,000.00 enc							
Gas	6,014.92							
Electricity	6,255.90							
Telephone	2,092.64							
Fuel	4,252.59							
Diesel Fuel	3,793.31							
Oil & Grease	1,276.94							
Truck Rep. & Parts	11,942.21							
Tires	755.75							
Diesel Fuel Tax	322.00							

	Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
DPW General Expense (Cont.)							
Equip. Repair & Parts	11,629.03						
Hired Equip.	13,232.50						
Equip. Rental	1,064.00						
Supplies	6,431.27						
Postage	425.29						
Advertising	914.17						
Office Supplies	1,670.83						
Uniforms	2,457.45						
Welding Supplies	440.61						
Paint	3,867.27						
Signs	2,448.52						
Hot Top, Gravel	20,180.23						
Stone & Cold Patch	5,119.41						
Lumber	1,538.60						
Tennis Equipment	491.86						
Elect. Repairs	601.50						
Park Fence	1,460.01						
Cemetery Wall	1,900.00						
Shrubs	363.24						
Tree Hired Equip.	2,058.50						
Engineering	2,930.00						
Dis. Ar. Bldg. Rep.	1,492.00						
Salt	4,912.05						
Sand	2,916.73						
Comp. Program	1,106.75						
Dues	133.50						
Fuel Reimb.	527.77						
Police	908.75						

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.	
Chap. 356 FY 1979		16,875.44			16,875.44	16,875.44			
Hot Top	16,875.44								
Chap. 356 FY 1980				46,418.00	46,418.00	27,526.07		18,891.93	
Hot Top	13,214.79								
Hired Equipment	3,484.00								
Fence	1,248.60								
Guard Rail	8,427.50								
Barricades	160.80								
Stone	796.88								
Police	193.50								
CETA Uniforms			568.80		568.80	625.30		-56.50	
Veterans Salary & Adm.				2,700.00	2,700.00	2,700.00			
Veterans Benefits				42,750.00	42,750.00	9,471.24	33,278.76		
Cash	8,858.00								
Food	99.84								
Medical	174.40								
Insurance	339.00								
Transportation			13,356.43	70,019.00	83,375.43	82,624.78	750.65		
Wages	50,391.93								
Gas	18,102.55								
Bus Repair & Parts	13,448.97								
Telephone	397.49								
Electricity	173.84								
Physicals	110.00								
Teachers Salaries				2,119,379.00	2,119,379.00	1,961,518.05	5,003.99	125,856.96	27,000.00 trf out
Other Salaries				346,471.00	346,471.00	335,680.80	2,440.20		8,050.00 trf out

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.	
School Expense			25,340.00	538,190.00	563,530.00	562,537.75	992.25		
1000	8,904.65								
2000	109,394.44								
3000	19,884.08								
3600	825.99								
3700	337.27								
3800	1,953.10								
4000	246,351.49								
7000	12,362.44								
9000	161,048.67								
Gas	1,475.62								
School Out of State Travel			37.10	2,300.00	2,337.10	1,706.60	630.50		
Vellante - Cal.	649.50								
Brunelle - Fla.	500.00								
Lanthier - Fla.	500.00								
Salerno - Conn.	57.10								
Vocational Education				11,927.00	11,927.00	586.50	.50		
Transportation	324.00								
Tuition	262.50								
Summer Recreation				3,300.00	3,300.00	2,767.00	101.18	11,340.00 trf out	
Kick Board	100.00								
Wages	2,667.40								
								431.42 trf out	
Adult Practical Arts		2,425.00	4,865.30		7,290.30	6,735.57		554.73	
Wages	5,936.00								
Books	336.12								
Printing	449.50								
Telephone	13.95								
School Water Assessment				1,200.00	1,200.00	602.25	597.75		
Athletic Association		429.71	6,859.51		7,289.22	7,289.22			
Wages	6,041.00								
Police EMT	840.00								
Laundry	20.00								

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Athletic Association (Cont.)								
Com. Fee	17.00							
Supplies	371.22							
School Summer Music		1,192.00	258.00		1,450.00	1,450.00		
Wages	1,162.00							
Refund	20.00							
Equip. Rental	260.00							
Cafeteria		2,238.41	174,541.26		176,779.67	175,615.33		1,164.34
Wages	61,416.39							
Food	62,850.46							
Supplies	2,322.36							
Milk	32,642.50							
Ice Cream	10,196.57							
Equip. Rental	1,464.44							
Equip. & Equip. Repair	2,556.72							
Tax	401.31							
Freight	1,526.62							
Meetings, etc.	207.96							
Postage	30.00							
ESEA T6 79-187-101W		405.26			405.26	405.26		
Books	300.11							
Supplies	47.65							
Comm. of Mass.	57.50							
Occ. Ed., 79-187-2643		504.46			504.46	500.04	4.42	
Books	500.04							
ESEA 6B		4,466.51			4,466.51	4,466.46	.05	
File Cabinet	91.46							
Closed Cir. Tel.	4,375.00							
Occ. Ed. 0993		625.00			625.00	625.00		
Books	599.68							
Comm. of Mass.	25.32							

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.	
Occ. Ed. 0713		80.84	32.16		113.00	113.00			
IBM	86.40								
Comm. of Mass.	26.60								
Custodial Revolving		300.00	1,732.21		2,032.21	1,880.62	151.59		
Driver Ed. Revolving			819.00		819.00	639.00		180.00	
Rec. Handicapped Child				3,000.00	3,000.00	2,164.40	835.60		
Town of Walpole	2,164.40								
Tri-County Reg. Voc. School				198,851.00	198,851.00	114,844.79	59,006.21		25,000 trf out
ESEA T6 370 N			38,325.00		38,325.00	35,125.70		2,860.30	339.00 JE'd out
Wages	34,185.80								
Contract	750.00								
Conference	15.00								
Books	174.90								
80-187-025			27,682.00		27,682.00	26,083.03		1,598.97	
Wages	26,013.98								
Books	69.05								
Ti 239 W			1,700.00					1,700.00	
Occ. Ed. 243-3			1,254.00		1,254.00	1,254.00			
Infor System	1,012.50								
Telephone	241.50								
Occ. Ed. 242-3			7,220.00		7220.00	5929.20		1290.80	
Books & Material	5,929.20								
BC Incentive Grant			7,200.00		7,200.00	3,088.50		4,111.50	
Tuition	3,088.50								
ESEA 4-B-80			4,102.00		4,102.00	3,899.57		202.43	
Material & Supplies	3,899.57								
Violin Program			665.00		665.00	665.00			
Wages	545.00								
Refunds	120.00								

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Library Wages & Salaries				39,759.00	39,759.00	39,281.34	477.66	
Library Expense				19,399.62	19,399.62	19,200.99	198.63	
Books	15,615.15							
Supplies	848.33							
Bldg. Maint.	919.23							
Telephone	328.81							
Postage	135.00							
Dues	18.00							
Furniture	658.31							
Conversa-Phone	118.94							
Auto Reimb.	125.25							
Equip.	433.97							
Library Cty. Dog 79 Rec.			1,008.70		1,008.70	1,008.70		
Books	1,008.70							
County Pension				80,116.00	80,116.00	80,116.00		
Memorial Day				1,000.00	1,000.00	761.70	238.30	
Flowers	125.00							
Printing	280.80							
Flags	158.03							
Food	69.54							
Programs	74.56							
Speaker	40.00							
Refreshments	13.77							
American Legion Headquarters				1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00		
Insurance				93,300.00	93,300.00	91,485.95	3,814.05	
Motor Vehicle	16,615.00							
Bonds	989.00							
Sports	2,400.00							
Comp. & Liab.	59,372.00							
Umbrella	6,241.00							
Police & Fire Liab.	5,778.95							
Nurse Floater	90.00							

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Blue Cross – Town			339.00	108,400.00	108,739.00	97,632.02	11,106.98		
Group Life Insurance – Town				4,100.00	4,100.00	3,806.88	293.12		
Unemployment Insurance				16,000.00	16,000.00	1,795.26		14,204.74	
Maturing Debt				146,000.00	146,000.00	146,000.00			
Sewer	14,000.00								
School	110,000.00								
Dis. Area	11,000.00								
DPW Building	11,000.00								
Other Interest				13,787.00	13,787.00	13,786.25	.75		
Sewer	5,255.25								
School	5,330.00								
Dis. Area	2,904.00								
DPW Building	297.00								
Certification				100.00	100.00	25.00	75.00		
Temporary Loan Interest				1,000.00	1,000.00	997.50	2.50		
2 Police Cruisers				11,700.00	11,700.00	11,158.00	542.00		
Contract	11,098.00								
Lettering	60.00								
Earl Boyd Assessment				349.20	349.20	349.20			
Korean Vietnam Memorial			595.00	3,000.00	3,595.00	1,500.00			2,095.00
Dep. on Memorial	1,500.00								
School Bus				15,883.00	15,883.00	15,832.29	.71		
Contract	15,832.29								
Police Station Addition				40,000.00	40,000.00			40,000.00	
One Ton Truck				8,862.00	8,862.00	8,861.17	.83		
Contract	8,861.17								
Wastewater Treatment Fac.				15,000.00	15,000.00	6,794.25		8,205.75	
Engineering	6,794.25								

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New Dump Final Grading		20,000.00						20,000.00
Water Station Repair				3,800.00	3,800.00	3,150.00	650.00	
Contract	3,150.00							
Cole Thorne Property Purchase				1,000.00	1,000.00			1,000.00
Orchard Street Traffic Controls				400.00	400.00			400.00
Phase 3 Dover Rd. Sidewalk		2,815.32						2,815.32
Drainage Master Plan				3,900.00	3,900.00	1,200.00	2,700.00	
Contract	1,200.00							
Drainage – 1978		12,700.00			12,700.00	5,806.99		6,893.01
Wages	2,865.76							
Hired Equipment	1,602.00							
Sand	213.44							
Cement	283.10							
Stone	581.69							
Police	261.00							
Park Capital Improvement				4,600.00	4,600.00	4,600.00		
Fence	1,399.64							
Landscaping	1,934.00							
Metal Slide	758.92							
Sand	274.78							
Clay	232.66							
Tree Care Program				6,793.39	6,793.39	6,793.39		
Hired Equipment	4,977.00							
Tools	307.75							
Trees	1,428.64							
Seedlings	40.00							
Hose	40.00							
Revaluation		20,000.00						20,000.00
Grant Consultant FY 79				1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00		

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Town Hall Exits		5,000.00			5,000.00	250.00		4,750.00
Engineering	250.00							
Computer & Related Exp.		34,273.25			34,273.25	33,068.33		1,204.92
Trng. Courses	500.00							
Software & Paper, etc.	7,790.78							
Maintenance	1,055.00							
Computer	23,722.55							
Forest Road Bridge Design				29,710.00	29,710.00	4,310.00		25,400.00
Engineering	310.00							
Contract	4,000.00							
Orchard Street Bridge Repair				2,160.00	2,160.00	1,642.00	518.00	
Masonry	1,642.00							
Drainage 77 App.		786.66			786.66	786.66		
Wages	370.39							
Stone	85.72							
Catch Basins	296.20							
Hose	10.05							
Cement	24.30							
Special Legal Fees		15,506.55			15,506.55	545.00		14,961.55
Vault Door		2,000.00			2,000.00			2,000.00
Audit of Mun. Accts				10,000.00	10,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Teachers Salaries Enc.		91,421.83			91,421.83	91,421.83		
General Road Repair Enc.		65,959.23			65,959.23	65,959.23		
Hot Top	65,884.23							
Emulsion Mix	75.00							
School Shed Enc.		2,118.63			2,118.63	2,104.37	14.26	
Lumber	698.87							
Material	1,405.50							

		Balance from 78/79	Receipts or Transfers	Appropriations	Balance Available	Expended	Balance to Revenue	Reserved for Exp.
Niagara Hall Lights				110.00	110.00	110.00		
Contract	110.00							
Police Station Arch. Contract			86.15	10,500.00	10,586.15	8,486.15		2,100.00
Advertising	18.15							
ZBA App.	32.00							
Postage	36.00							
Contract	8,400.00							
Contract Cleaning Enc.		152.00			152.00	152.00		
Grant Consultant FY 78		1,500.00			1,500.00	862.50		637.50
Glen Ellen App. Contract				2,500.00	2,500.00			2,500.00
State Grant Police Motorcycle						5,500.00		

BIRTHS RECORDED IN MILLIS – 1980

Date	*Name*	*Parents*
Jan. 2	Jennifer Leigh Furbush	Steven B. and Laurie A. Benard
Jan. 14	Andrew Thomas Logie	Andrew R. and Elizabeth C. Rogers
Jan. 18	Sheryl Mary Delisle	Roger J. and Debra J. Routt
Jan. 21	Joy Rachel McCarthy	Charles C. and Mary M. Buman
Jan. 30	Jessica Anne Johnson	Gerard K., Jr. and Bonnie J. Liss
Jan. 31	Christine Lee Burton	Wayne E. and Judy A. Kuhn
Feb. 1	Joanna Marie Bertolino	Stephen and Lois Kleberg
Feb. 12	Lauren Alicha Floro	Antonio and Janice M. Agri
Feb. 13	Katherine Kelso McKee	Robert R. and Denise K. Fisher
Feb. 20	Meredith Grace Adams	Ricky P. and Pauline M. Cloherty
Feb. 21	Seth Robert Patriacca	Bernard R., Jr. and Darla L. Holmes
Feb. 22	Jonathan Thomas Clancy	Thomas J. II and Jean M. Dwyer
Feb. 28	Justin LaRocca Hansen	Jeffrey W. and Lisa LaRocca
Mar. 3	John Edward Gifford	Joseph W. and Denise E. Moy
Mar. 6	Melissa Ann O'Neil	Paul M. and Priscilla J. Page
Mar. 11	Adam Perren Hunt	Stephen P. and Suzanne M. Perren
Mar. 12	Mary Holly Dearborn	George F. and Mary T. Cooney
Mar. 12	Peggy Ann Schulzas	Edward A. and Sandra L. Wrolstad
Mar. 16	Eric John Kerwin	Edward P., Jr. and Carol A. Rowley
Mar. 17	Jonathan David Harrington	David W. and Marian L. Pink
Mar. 18	Robert Patrick Driscoll	Peter L. and Barbara F. Brennan
Mar. 22	Nathaniel William Keith	James L. and Christina E. Heath
Mar. 22	Timon Wallace Koufopoulos	Peter F. and Laura C. Wallace
Mar. 29	Richard Barry Dehn	Arthur R. and Pamela Ackerman
Mar. 31	Erin Elizabeth Farrell	Jeffrey M. and Sharyn L. Person
Apr. 1	Caitlyn Sprague	Donald L. and Wendy J. Boomhower
Apr. 3	Jessica Anne Bilics	Charles R. and Andrea M. Richardson
Apr. 7	Gregory Peter Hansen	Glen J. and Laurel J. Barra
Apr. 16	Timothy Steven Donovan	Steven B. and Maureen M. McKenney
Apr. 18	Tyler Allard Payne	Richard W., Jr. and Phyllis E. Cary
Apr. 20	Kristen Marie Ames	Ernest W. and Sandra E. DeMarco
Apr. 22	Jamie Marie St. Cyr	Geoffrey J. and Katherine M. Kane
Apr. 24	Lauren Ann Hurley	Michael W. and Ann M. Shaughnessey
Apr. 24	Christopher Allen MacLeod	Mark D. and Mary A. Mitchell
Apr. 27	Amy Lynn Veilleux	Gary R. and Barbara A. Breen
Apr. 29	Aaron McAllister Burnaby	Laurie K. and Ann McAllister
May 1	Brad William Bleakney	Paul W. and Deborah A. Dyer
May 1	Amanda Grace Palmer	Gordon W., Jr. and Amy S. Linstead
May 1	Joanne Thibault	William P. and Laura Shuker
May 3	Sarah Elizabeth Stock	Joseph C. and Christine Haverty
May 6	Eric Brian Langevin	R. Steven and Jill K. Lamoy
May 8	Ryan Troy McDonough	Thomas F. and Karen G. Angelesco
May 9	Elisabeth Tracy Priest	Douglas C. and Lisa M. Palson

Date	*Name*	*Parents*
May 11	Jodie Lynn Anderson	David L. and Margaret Steel
May 12	Michael William Brennan	Thomas and Mary E. Coffin
May 17	Angela Mary Crowley	Michael J. and Mary L. Foley
May 21	Robin Michelle Herlihy	Robert E., Jr. and Susan E. Burns
May 22	Shane Scott McKinnies	John W. and Denise M. DiDonato
May 23	Tiffany Ann Dziurdz	John A. and Donna L. Calabrese
June 4	Rebecca Joan Waters	Robert H. and Christine Perrin
June 6	Jed Matthew Odoardi	Alfred J. and Phoebe S. Smith
June 9	Diane Renee Tomasi	Thomas P. and Christine A. Fournier
June 10	Keith Edward Payne	Lance and Margie Lennore Dill
June 13	Megan Elizabeth Byrne	David J. and Kathleen H. Henderson
June 16	Abigail Bache Giombetti	Dennis L. and Ann T. Bache
June 18	Evan Porter Wright	Thomas G. and Elaine C. Jacobs
June 27	Melissa Beth Novak	Jimmy M. and Laurie A. Griswold
July 2	Lauren Elizabeth Warner	George J. and Margaret L. Mulcahy
July 3	Christopher Michael Marsceill	Michael G. and Jill Kennedy
July 5	Timothy Patrick Robinson	Stephen L. and Meredith L. Whillans
July 7	Matthew Joseph Byrne	Edward J. and Charlotte M. Gould
July 7	Meredith Ann Katz	Earl J. and Melinda J. Faison
July 8	Kathleen Eleanor Dugan	John G. and Catherine A. Hinkley
July 10	Katrina Yvonne Calnan	Bradley W. and Laura D. Oberg
July 15	Bernard David Campbell	Joseph S., Jr. and Cherl A. O'Connor
July 15	Laurie Beth Normandin	Raymond C. and Diane M. Fitzpatrick
July 16	Alison Sargent Zuegg	Frederic T. and Elizabeth L. Sargent
July 21	David Michael Prasse	Francis J. and Kathleen A. Kearney
July 25	Adrienne Marie Dybes	Francis E. and Susan C. Harrington
Aug. 5	Rebecca Joy Terrio	Paul H. and Joyce E. Mangini
Aug. 12	David James Reid	Glenn R. and Mary C. Chapman
Aug. 12	Michael Burton Stratton	Burton F. and Patricia M. Hunt
Aug. 25	Timothy James Ganusko	Robert J. and Lisa A. Mancuso
Aug. 27	John Corliss Graham III	John C., Jr. and Carol A. Kean
Sept. 5	Kristina Lyn Benson	Richard A., Jr. and Linda G. Edwards
Sept. 9	Kimberly Anne Scotland	Gary W. and Donna M. Cassidy
Sept. 10	Jonathan George Pappas	George G. and Angelica Tsoumas
Sept. 14	David Joseph Claffey	George G. and Kathleen M. Murphy
Sept. 15	Leeaan Joyce Teager	Thomas A. and Patricia A. Lee
Sept. 16	Richard Vincent Curry	Richard W. and Valerie L. Intelisano
Sept. 18	Dennis Joseph Trumbour II	Dennis J. and Helen J. Abraham
Sept. 26	Thomas Kelly	Thomas W. and Marie C. Coffey
Sept. 27	Matthew Thomas Bittihoffer	Thomas J. and Joyce C. Gould
Sept. 28	Amanda Christine Sharp	William C. and Nancy E. Walker
Oct. 1	William Robert Harvey	Robert P. and Constance J. Boland
Oct. 4	Edward Wayne Kovsky	Charles W. and Peggy L. Howard
Oct. 12	Linsley Wolverton Clark	Remington A. and Lynn R. Gamble
Oct. 31	James Patrick McCaffrey	James J. and Christine T. Moore

Date	*Name*	*Parents*
Nov. 2	Joel Alexander Hingston	Thomas P. and Linda A. Levy
Nov. 6	Richard Michael Ruo	Richard E. and Tami L. Masters
Nov. 19	Justin Patrick Kleya	David A. and Sheila B. Tate
Nov. 22	Jill Suzanne Linnell	Arthur F., Jr. and Martha M. Dawson
Nov. 29	Jeremy Hans Warnick	Hans S., Jr. and Nancy A. Wicker
Nov. 30	Wayne R. Stokes, Jr.	Wayne R. and Suzanne M. McCarthy
Nov. 30	Johanna Lee Sprague	John E. and Geraldine A. DiMatteo
Dec. 12	Sarah Lynn Santos	Robert J. Jr. and Ellen J. McCurley
Dec. 15	Cynthia Elizabeth Kane	Thomas J. and Kathleen E. Crowther
Dec. 15	Eric Michael Kuhn	Michael R. and Diane I. Adair
Dec. 18	Karen Ann Hawley	Bruce A. and Louise A. Ellis
Dec. 21	Kurt Daniel Clancy	John T. and Deborah A. Cornelle

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN MILLIS – 1980

Date	*Name*	*Residence*	*By Whom*	*Place*
Jan. 11	Robert F. McLean Evelyn M. Rawding	Millis Millis	Nancy J. Preston Justice of the Peace	Millis
Jan. 12	Sheldon David Pineo Lisa Beard	Millis Millis	Margaret Bell Justice of the Peace	Franklin
Jan. 20	Thomas F. Jones Debra A. Bond	Millis Millis	Rev. Thomas Fleming	Millis
Jan. 24	John Fiore Barbara L. Marston	N. Providence, RI Millis	Rev. Joseph M. Carney	Millis
Jan. 26	Brian A. Garde Joyce K. Kilmer	Bridgeport, CT Medfield	Rev. Crawford F. Coombes, Jr.	Millis
Feb. 9	Gary Anderson Kimberly A. O'Connor	Walpole Medfield	Nancy J. Preston Justice of the Peace	Millis
Feb. 14	John Frederick Kennedy Sharon Gail Meneilly	Chapel Hill, NC Millis	Elinor H. Pearson Justice of the Peace	Millis
Feb. 16	George E. Harris, Jr. Georgina F. Colangelo	Millis Bellingham	Rev. Crawford F. Coombes, Jr.	Millis
Mar. 1	Robert H. Hall Sharon Lee Ryan	Millis Millis	Rev. Crawford F. Coombes, Jr.	Millis
Mar. 8	Philip Matthews Jean R. Sims	Millis Medfield	Rev. Crawford F. Coombes, Jr.	Millis
Mar. 15	Daniel M. Moriarty, Jr. Robin Jane Meuse	Walpole Millis	Rev. Francis W. Beksha	Millis
Mar. 22	William Paul Thibault Laura Ann Shuker	Millis Millis	Elinor H. Pearson Justice of the Peace	Norfolk

Date	*Name*	*Residence*	*By Whom*	*Place*
Apr. 12	Frank A. Rogers Shirley E. Finn	Millis Millis	Rev. Robert L. Wood	Millis
Apr. 12	Ira B. Tucker Marilyn C. Davis	Millis Millis	Rabbi Benjamin Z. Rudavsky	Millis
Apr. 12	Frederick Charles Wicker Brenda Lee Voecks	Milford Milford	Rev. Francis W. Beksha	Millis
Apr. 20	Edward A. LaCroix, Jr. Carole Ann Bis	Vernon, CT Millis	Rev. Francis W. Beksha	Millis
May 10	Frank R. Chipman Christine M. Hurley	Montville, CT Millis	Rev. Francis W. Beksha	Millis
May 10	Arthur P. Ciaramicoli, Jr. Karen M. Hansen	Millis Millis	Rev. Jack R. Stevens	Natick
May 16	Ronald J. Harvey Julia M. Mortarelli	Millis Millis	Rev. Bernard L. Sullivan	Wellesley
May 17	Robert G. Souza Janine Marie Cousens	Millis Millis	Rev. Francis W. Beksha	Millis
May 23	Tom Ferguson Laurie A. Sprague	Phoenix, AZ Phoenix, AZ	Rev. Thomas J. Fleming	Millis
May 24	Edward W. Blackman Sharon J. Wye	Owl's Head, ME Millis, MA	Rev. James C. Sleeper	Millis
May 31	Steven Larocco Katherine Lee Hampton	Reading Millis	Rev. James C. Sleeper	Millis
June 6	Richard A. Morse Lillian C. Lee	S. Easton Millis	Rev. James C. Sleeper	Millis

Date	*Name*	*Residence*	*By Whom*	*Place*
June 14	Donald Walter May	Millis	Rev. Crawford F. Coombes, Jr.	Millis
	Kathy Anne Seaver	Millis		
June 14	Gary William Goudy	Millis	Rev. Francis W. Beksha	Millis
	Diane M. Delaporta	Millis		
June 21	Gary L. Burns	Millis	Rev. Robert L. Wood	Medfield
	Susan Holderried	Norfolk		
June 21	John Norman Olson	Franklin	Nancy J. Preston	Millis
	Debra L. Smith	Franklin	Justice of the Peace	
June 28	Gerard Eugene Pennini	Needham	Rev. Crawford F. Coombes, Jr.	Millis
	Janice Anne McCarter	Millis		
June 28	Gary Scott Graham	Saranac Lake, NY	Rev. Earl D. Haywood	Millis
	Nadia Hamed El-Bisi	Saranac Lake, NY		
June 28	Joseph M. Kerwin	Millis	Rev. Harold C. Warlick, Jr.	Walpole
	Deborah A. Edwards	Millis		
June 28	Michael Scot Twamley	Millis	Rev. David K. Johnston	Natick
	Gladys Jean Stevens	Millis		
July 5	Ivo Mario Guiseppe Taddei	Italy	Rev. Bruce D. Hersey	Natick
	Lynn Ann Hersey	Millis		
July 11	Kenneth Allan Harrison	Bridgewater	Rev. Francis W. Beksha	Millis
	Dianne Elizabeth MacKinnon	Millis		
July 12	Timothy F. Kelleher	Millis	Rev. Norman G. Helm	Westborough
	Susan E. Knapp	Millis		
July 13	William P. Talmage, Jr.	Millis	Rev. Crawford F. Coombes, Jr.	Millis
	Katherine Scannell	Millis		

Date	*Name*	*Residence*	*By Whom*	*Place*
July 19	Joseph F. Guadagnoli Vickie L. Parks	Millis Roslindale	Rev. Richard A. Germaine	Hopkinton
July 19	Peter Jon Queenan Nancy Davis	Millis Millis	Rev. Jerome J. Janisko	Holliston
July 25	John Joseph Cady Anne V. Goodspeed	Millis Medway	Carol B. Mushnick Justice of the Peace	Millis
July 26	Donald A. Parker, Jr. Carron L. Cassidy	Millis Dedham	Rev. Thomas H. Maguire	Dedham
Aug. 2	Arthur L. Daniel Paula M. Bennett	Millis Millis	Daniel J. Davis Justice of the Peace	Framingham
Aug. 16	David J. McQuinn Pamela Salvucci	Millis Millis	Rev. Charles Robert Harrah	Sudbury
Aug. 23	Edwin L. Perry Janet Geragliano	Millis Millis	Bertrand Z. Remillard Justice of the Peace	Bellingham
Sept. 5	Philip R. Mascis Dianne M. Power	Millis Millis	Rev. Francis W. Beksha	Millis
Sept. 6	Robert Andrew Volpicelli, Jr. Tracy Dillon	Millis Medway	Rev. Francis W. Beksha	Millis
Sept. 13	Vincent G. Howley Charlene Generazio	Millis Millis	Rev. James C. Sleeper	Millis
Sept. 13	Paul W. LaShoto Patricia A. Burke	Millis Weymouth	Rev. Francis W. Beksha	Millis
Sept. 14	Jeffrey M. Downing Sandra Lee Draper	Millis Millis	Rev. Francis W. Beksha	Millis

Date	*Name*	*Residence*	*By Whom*	*Place*
Sept. 19	Charles Carlson Debra A. Warren	Millis Millis	Nancy J. Preston Justice of the Peace	Millis
Sept. 21	Harold A. Hager, Jr. Kerin M. Costa	Holliston Millis	Rev. Francis W. Beksha	Millis
Sept. 27	William E. Sawyer Nancy J. Costa	Millis Millis	Carol B. Mushnick Justice of the Peace	Millis
Sept. 27	Thomas J. Kane Kathleen E. Crowther	Millis Millis	Elinor H. Pearson Justice of the Peace	Norfolk
Sept. 28	Charles Rolke Jacquelyn Groleau	Millis Millis	Rev. Mark S. Harvey	Walpole
Oct. 4	Robert R. McCoy, Jr. Janice L. Wright	Millis Millis	Rev. Dennis John Doerr	Newton
Oct. 4	George D. Clancy, Jr. Elizabeth R. Anderson	Millis Millis	Rev. Dana McLean Greeley	Concord
Oct. 11	Brian P. Gibson Wendy A. Somerville	Millis Millis	Rev. Donald Henery	Dover
Oct. 11	Malcolm J. Gibson Deborah J. Duhamel	Millis Millis	Rev. James C. Sleeper	Millis
Oct. 18	Robert James Wargo Mary Eileen Howard	Underhill, VT Millis	Rev. Raymond D. Shepherd	Millis
Oct. 25	Kenneth Michael Hinchliffe Susan Ada Eusepi	Millis Millis	Rev. Robert L. Wood	Medfield

Date	*Name*	*Residence*	*By Whom*	*Place*
Nov. 15	Stanley A. Watson Kathleen A. Byrne	Milford Millis	Rev. John F. Reardon	Millis
Nov. 24	James E. Stewart Marlene Essary	Millis Millis	Rev. Francis W. Beksha	Millis
Nov. 28	Francis E. Carter Margaret S. Dunn	Millis Natick	Rev. William J. Wiltenburg	Holliston
Dec. 6	Christopher Ciampa Kim L. Shorey	Foxboro Millis	Rev. Francis W. Beksha	Millis
Dec. 7	Robert J. Santos, Jr. Ellen McCurley	Millis Millis	Daniel J. Davis Justice of the Peace	Framingham

DEATHS RECORDED IN MILLIS – 1980

Date	*Name*	*Years*	*Place*
Jan. 1	Joseph Winiker	77	Framingham
Jan. 7	Lewis Elmer Richardson	85	Attleboro
Jan. 22	Ethel Irene McConachie	68	Natick
Jan. 25	John Hayes O'Hara	61	Natick
Feb. 5	Eleanor Margaret Brodeur (Kelley)	72	Natick
Feb. 7	Alice Tate (Lindahl)	65	Natick
Mar. 13	Peter Joseph Kenney	36	Millis
Mar. 19	Thomas Carl Watt	68	Natick
Mar. 21	James Edward Tiernan	78	Milford
Mar. 22	Timothy Joseph McCarthy	100	Franklin
Apr. 1	Ellen L. Terrio (Tyner)	83	Norwood
Apr. 3	Carroll B. Balkam	83	Framingham
Apr. 25	Helen Hauer (Cardolino)	61	Natick
May 3	Helen T. Osborne (Burton)	66	Natick
May 9	John J. Rouzaut	40	Natick
May 27	Martha A. LaCroix	78	Natick
May 30	Annie A. Holt (Fisher)	84	Natick
June 3	Rosanne Robinson	17	Lincoln, R.I.
June 17	Myrtle B. Bennett (Chase)	86	Falmouth
June 18	John D. Long	26	Millis
July 1	Helen B. McDonough (Cassidy)	83	Ashland
July 10	James Harris	56	Millis
July 10	John Johnson	57	Millis
July 10	Lorraine Murphy (Fitzpatrick)	73	Medway
July 24	William Joseph Christian	73	Natick
July 31	Gerald Joseph Byrne, Jr.	53	Natick
Aug. 7	Florence Johnson (Parkinson)	88	Natick
Aug. 8	Alfred Leafield Parks	95	Framingham
Aug. 11	Winifred K. McEvoy (MacDonald)	63	Brockton
Aug. 16	Edmund P. Capone	76	Natick
Aug. 16	Joseph W. McMillan	68	Brockton
Aug. 27	Llewellyn S. Rogers, Sr.	71	Needham
Aug. 31	Daniel Michael Fye	35	Norwood
Sept. 23	James MacFee	98	Natick
Sept. 28	Dorothy Thumith (Thorne)	75	Framingham
Oct. 14	Jane Morse (Balis)	69	Framingham
Oct. 28	Margaret E. Brothers	70	Natick
Oct. 29	Rebecca Mael	84	Boston

Date	*Name*	*Years*	*Place*
Nov. 6	Susan Sorrentino (Cummings)	66	Millis
Nov. 13	Nathaniel William Keith	7 mos., 21 days	Boston
Nov. 18	Martin J. Harte	84	Cambridge
Nov. 30	Lyle Conrad Hawkins	54	Boston
Nov. 30	Doris G. Foster (Olson)	59	Millis
Dec. 4	Walter W. Hoar	86	Framingham
Dec. 5	Sherman L. Brigham	77	Natick
Dec. 19	William Klim	67	Millis
Dec. 30	Anthony Richard Oberts	60	Millis

Collins O'Connor, Chairman; Leonard Bateman, Jr., Clerk;
Hindy Rosenfeld, Vice Chairman

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

The Board of Selectmen organized on May 27, 1980, with Collins O'Connor as Chairman, Hindy Rosenfeld as Clerk and Leonard Bateman, Jr. as the newly elected third member.

Because of increased duties of part-time Boards of Selectmen, the Board voted a title change on August 27, 1980, from the above to: Collins O'Connor as Chairman, Hindy Rosenfeld as Vice Chairman and Leonard Bateman, Jr. as Clerk. The change will facilitate liaison work by all three members of the Board of Selectmen as well as assuring "on the spot" signatures and other necessities during working days at the Town Office.

TAX RATE

In late February of 1981 the State Bureau of Revenue certified our local tax rate for the current year at $59.00 per thousand of valuation. This represents an increase of only one dollar. Considering that we had a decrease of $11.00 per thousand in the year prior and the impact of double digit inflation, one should appreciate the considerable efforts made by many to keep expenses to a minimum without cutting vital services.

PROPOSITION 2½

Proposition 2½ was voted into law on November 4, 1980 by an overwhelming two-thirds majority.

Regardless of the community, cutbacks under Proposition 2½ seem to be creating many of the same problems; employees are concerned about their jobs, citizens are worried about loss of services, and students and parents alike are upset about possible cuts in educational programs.

Caught in the middle of this controversy and burdened with the responsibility of making hundreds of thousands of dollars in budget cuts, municipal officials are doing their best to implement Proposition 2½, balancing mandated programs costs, necessary services, and fixed costs against budget cuts necessary for their individual communities.

Town meeting action will make the ultimate decision on budget cuts necessary to accomplish Proposition 2½ based on recommendations of Town officials.

MOTHER NATURE AND ENERGY CONSERVATION

In the throes of an early and harsh winter, we have had to face ever escalating fuel prices. Budgets are made up in advance with estimated increases, but most were well exceeded by the supplying companies during the course of the year. Energy conservation measures have helped in Town buildings such as the Rockville Fire Station, where insulation and tightening of doors and windows were accomplished with volunteer help and minimal cost for materials. In the Town Office and Niagara Hall, vestibules have minimized heat loss where the outer doors are opened constantly. Storm windows have helped to keep the

Town Office warmer with less oil consumed. We plan to continue energy conservation measures with the assistance of Tauno Aalto, Sam Howie and Nick Costantino, members of the Millis Energy Committee.

TOWN BUILDINGS

Preventive maintenance done on an ongoing basis assures us full use of our Town Buildings without last minute unexpected and costly repairs. We strive to work on an upkeep situation annually, at minimal cost, to keep our Town Buildings in good condition.

NATURAL VALLEY STORAGE PROJECT, WETLANDS MANAGEMENT POLICY

The last phase of plans by the Army Corps of Engineers to obtain a total of 9,000 acres of land from many towns along the Charles River is underway. In 1974, the Corps proposed buying the swampland along the river, which acts as a natural water storage area, for protection. A vital part of the program has been the acquisition of 2,346 acres in Millis. Millis has the largest amount of land to be purchased by the Corps in the sixteen-town area involved. Guidelines have been established by Robert Graci and Henry Lewandowski for proposed management for Millis lands acquired by the Federal Government. We will continue to oversee the Natural Valley Storage Project in our community to assure the proper safeguards.

INSURANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Former Chairman Pete Bosse's decision to leave the Insurance Advisory Committee was met with much regret, since he was there at its inception, and helped to guide us toward savings and changes in insurance for Millis. We are confident the members of the Insurance Advisory Committee, headed by John Purkis, will continue their research and recommendations to save money for the Town while providing adequate coverage.

UPDATE ON SEWER CONNECTIONS

Sewer tie-in connections for Millis are still under constant consideration. There are alternative plans suggested by the State for Millis to pursue. Hopefully, a State mandate to implement one of the plans will be funded by State and Federal grants. The current three alternatives consist of updating the existing Millis plant, which seems to be the most costly plan; a tie-in with the Town of Medfield, the long range consideration that has not moved forward; and a tie-in with Medway, still under consideration for cost effectiveness. Since we are working closely with the Department of Public Works, DEQE and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, we will be advised of sewer tie-in developments mandated for Millis, and the grant monies available for them.

VOLUNTEER SERVICES AND PROGRAMS

We are grateful to so many volunteers who enable us to run programs and services not funded by tax dollars. Our many liaison workers to local and out-of-town committees deserve recognition for their fine contribution in time and

effort. They include Russ Chamberlain who recently resigned as liaison to the MBTA after attending meetings faithfully for over two years. He is still working on the West Resource Recovery Council considering the possibility of a Millis tie-in to the Plainville Regional Waste Facility.

Joseph Cassidy has volunteered to work as MBTA liaison for Millis and is continuing to pursue Millis' attempt to withdraw as a member town of the MBTA.

Robert Eaton is serving as Millis' MBTA Consumer Advisory Board liaison. As an MBTA daily commuter, he will be evaluating current situations and conditions.

Martin Doliner – Ex Officio, William Botterman, Clifford Jestings, James Willey and Philip Bianchi, members of the Korean/Vietnam Memorial Committee, are nearing the completion of the memorial already installed on the library grounds. They have worked long and hard toward a fitting memorial for those who served during this conflict, and are now finalizing dedication plans.

Former Selectman Charles Levine has held the position of designee to the Norfolk County Advisory Board matters for two years. His attendance in behalf of Millis at County meetings assures us a strong voice in determining our share of the County budget.

DPW Commissioner Dom D'Eramo serves as liaison to the Joint Regional Transportation Committee and is Millis' Metropolitan Area Planning Council representative.

DPW Commissioner Ed Cronin spends additional time serving as our Hazardous Waste Coordinator, keeping us updated on potential problems.

We appointed a Cable TV Advisory Board to study the feasibility of Cable TV for Millis. The ramifications of a Cable TV hook-up are far greater than anticipated, and we are fortunate to have the expertise of Committee members Robert Provost, Julius Rosen, Gerald Zundell, Clive Nickerson and Frank Gubala.

When the State advised us to appoint a five member Arts Lottery Committee so that Millis would be eligible to receive its share of funds from the Arts Lottery Council, we were quick to comply. Chairman Pat Iseman and members Ingrid Elofson, Jacqueline Graci, Maryanne Andrey and Robert Morse did their best to assure Millis' eligibility for an apportionment of State money. Unfortunately, the latest word from the State is that there is not any money for distribution to individual communities, and probably little hope of money for community arts programs in the future.

Our Fourth of July program under the direction of volunteers Marge Matthews and Nancy Gittens was entitled, "Hometown U.S.A." They provided a fun-filled day of booths, displays, food and activities of all kinds at the Town Park. It certainly was "Hometown Millis" at its best.

We would be remiss if we did not mention the fine work continued throughout Millis by the many organizations in our midst. The Oak Tree League provides

beautiful plantings in so many areas each year. Their clean-up day extended their beautification plans admirably this year, and their help with functions and programs has been invaluable in providing additional niceties at no cost to the Town. They are still providing transportation to Senior Citizens for medical appointments and other necessities.

The Millis Civic Organization kindly stepped in at the 1980 4th of July activities day to sell some old Town items to raise money for the Niagara Hall Mural restoration.

The Golden Lions, under the direction of Annabelle Kilmain, have helped provide refreshments for functions, and we are grateful to them for their contributions.

Superintendent Bob Leslie and the Board of Public Works have been particularly helpful all year long, providing many extras including handsomely lighting Town buildings at Christmas time, improving the grounds at the Town Office, reactivating the Holbrook Bell for the hostage homecoming, and preparing the Town Park for the 4th of July activities. Their cooperation and help is always appreciated.

Again, we want to thank Eldon McCauley and Annabelle Kilmain for continuing to volunteer their services in our transportation program for Senior Citizens.

Our thanks to the School Department for their cooperation in providing meeting places, additional land for athletic programs and the many services that help us carry out Town programs.

We deeply appreciate additional services "above and beyond the call of duty" provided us by Chief George Smith and the Police Department, Chief Robert Volpicelli and the Fire Department and Director Manning Doliner and the Civil Defense throughout this past year. The many energy conservation measures in the Rockville Fire Station can be attributed to the volunteer services of these men.

With added population of our citizenry, expanded State laws, mandates, and additional complexities of Town government, we acknowledge with thanks the help we receive from Town Counsel Harvey Weiner. He is faithful in attending our meetings and fulfills our needs admirably.

A special "thank you" to all Town departments, and to all who serve, for their full cooperation and ready help in our endeavors.

GRANTS

HUD, Community Development Block Grant –

When Millis was notified in August, 1979 that the Town was awarded a HUD grant in the amount of $250,000, few could imagine the total impact of such a program. The grant provided low interest loans and grants for the upgrading and rehabilitation of residential properties in the downtown and surrounding "target" area.

Temporary offices for the HUD program were set up in Niagara Hall. The administration of the program was assigned to the very capable Lois Hultzman, Grants Coordinator and William Dean, Housing Rehabilitation Specialist.

Our original goal was to rehabilitate as many homes as possible in the "target" area. We are proud to announce that 39 homes have been revitalized by work of all kinds. We, therefore, have met our goals, refurbished many houses and fulfilled requirements of the HUD program.

This program is in its last stages in Millis, and we gained an expertise in this type of program that would certainly give us an excellent opportunity for receiving future grants.

In addition, there is an added "plus" brought about by our HUD program. It has come to our attention that many other homeowners in the same area, motivated by this project, did some sprucing up on their own.

Energy conservation and safety measures were major factors considered in home rehabilitation. Many were brought up to proper building code standards. When the program comes to an end sometime in the next few months, the citizens of Millis can be proud of a job well done.

Council of Arts and Humanities –

We received a $1500 grant toward the restoration of our Niagara Hall mural from the Council of Arts and Humanities in the winter of 1979 that would cover half of the cost to complete the first stage of the mural renovation. The Council was interested enough in our application to suggest ways and means to preserve the historical mural for all time, but it would cost more than the original estimate.

We raised the necessary additional money by private donation and called upon the services of Art Conservator Nicholas Isaak of New Hampshire. He did the tedious work involved in permanently adhering the plaster walls on which the mural is painted, to the inside of the building.

A further estimate to complete the restoration of the mural in the second stage process was $2300. We applied to the Council of Arts and Humanities for a grant again, and hoped that we would be eligible for additional funds. We are proud to announce that the Council of Arts and Humanities awarded us an additional $1,000 to complete our mural restoration. We will seek private funds to subsidize the grant, and watch progress of the second and final stage of the mural restoration with a great sense of pride – that we have been able to preserve a historical bit of Americana – depicting Millis – over one hundred years ago.

MAPC Planning Grant

Though we did not approve MAPC's revitalization changes for downtown Millis, the planning expertise offered by the Metropolitan Area Planning Council grant has helped us in our quest to find and implement some solutions and ideas to promote better public parking facilities. More important, we must find

a way to eliminate the hazardous diagonal parking on public ways. We must also help our consumers who wish to patronize local business, and local business itself, by providing adequate, safe parking.

We plan to continue the beautification and revitalization of the downtown area. We have removed the blighted block buildings behind Exchange Street with the help of the Department of Public Works. They have also started grading the Town owned land in anticipation of future seeding. We have requested that the tanks in the area be fenced, painted and beautified or be safely moved underground.

We have met with the area business owners to seek their suggestions and cooperation, so that we may provide an improved economic climate for them and, in turn, for all.

We will continue to upgrade the downtown business area with funds previously appropriated, until it is as area in which we can all take pride.

There is always more that can be accomplished for the good of our Town. We intend to pursue every avenue open to us in Millis' behalf and welcome suggestions. We will begin planning our Centennial to be held in the year 1985, and will appoint a committee to implement a cost effective, worthy celebration. We look forward to working with you for a better Millis.

Respectfully submitted,

COLLINS C. O'CONNOR, Chairman
HINDY ROSENFELD, Vice Chairman
LEONARD J. BATEMAN, JR., Clerk

THE MILLIS SELECTMEN HONOR MILFORD'S BICENTENNIAL JUNE 15, 1980

CONTRACTS BID AND AWARDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN DURING 1980

Insurance – hospital, medical, surgical, Blue Cross Blue Shield, Brockton, Mass., only bidder, coverage for July 1, 1980 to July 1, 1981, under Chapter 32B of the General Laws, individual, $48.70; family $127.72; O.M.E. individual $25.85 per month. Life, accidental and dismemberment awarded Boston Mutual Life Insurance Co., Boston, Mass., to July 1, 1981, $.66 per thousand dollars, limit $5000 insurance per employee. The Town pays one-half of insurance premiums.

Insurance, general – Richard G. Connors Insurance Inc., Braintree, Mass. $73,752.

Two police cruisers – Framingham Auto Sales, Inc., Framingham, Mass.
State contract. Delivered and in service 7/1/80 12,577.

No. 2 fuel oil – Holliston Oil Service Inc., Holliston, Mass.
Per gallon subject to certain increases .92

Gasoline – Gulfcrest	Gulf Oil Corp.	per gallon	1.0585
Good Gulf	Gulf Oil Corp.	per gallon	.9860

Diesel fuel, Holliston Oil, less .10 discount per gallon
Subject to certain increases 1.03

Town Hall cleaning – Val Cleaning, Norwood, Mass. Per week $32; per month, floor washing $15; per every second month, second floor, $12; Niagara Hall, every third month, $33.

Town Report – Wayside Press Inc., Medway, Mass.
1980 town report, per page, 1500 copies 18.32

Police Motorcycle – Harco Harley-Davidson, Framingham, Mass. 5500.
Radio for motorcycle – General Electric, Framingham, Mass. 1781

1250 G.P.M. Class A Pumping Engine – Maxim Motors-Deane
Fire Equipment 81,336

Fire Escape, Town Hall – No bids received

Police/Fire Station Addition – Ceco Construction & Engineering Inc.
Warwick, Rhode Island 167,700

Consulting Services – Community Opportunities Group Inc., Boston 2,500.

Above contracts completed. Ongoing contracts are insurance, fuel oil, gasoline diesel oil, town hall cleaning, fire truck, police/fire station addition. The Annual Town Report is scheduled for delivery on or before April 17, 1981.

LICENSES AND PERMITS ISSUED FOR 1980 BY BOARD OF SELECTMEN

12 Alcoholic beverages:
- 5 common victualler, all alcoholic
- 1 innholder, all alcoholic
- 3 retail package goods store, all alcoholic
- 2 retail package goods store, wine and malt beverages
- 1 veterans' club

19 Amusement machine
3 Antique and secondhand
5 Auction
4 Auctioneer
1 Bowling and billiard table
2 Christmas tree sale
11 Common victualler
1 Earth removal
9 Excavation
6 Fair
2 Gas and fuel storage
1 Innholder
6 Juke box
2 Light bulb drive
6 Motor vehicle, sale of
- 1 Class I
- 2 Class II
- 3 Class III

14 One-day beer and wine
1 Skeet shoot
1 Sunday license
2 Taxi
82 Yard sale

REPORT OF COUNCIL ON AGING

The Council on Aging meets on the third Tuesday of each month, September through June, at the Kennedy Terrace Hall. Our task is to improve the quality of life for our senior citizens, with special regard for health care, recreation, and the meeting of certain needs which relate to confidence and hope in that community. Many elderly citizens live at Kennedy and King Terrace, and others in their own dwellings or in nursing homes. There are more than six hundred senior citizens in our town.

Health clinics, shopping trips, and recreational opportunities are planned and overseen by the Council. A newsletter was sent last September to outline such activities and to announce the opening of a Hot Meals Program on October 1, 1980. The Program was initially funded by a one-time State grant for site

rental, which we applied for in the early summer. Meals catered by Seiler's are served at noon, Monday to Friday, at St. Paul's Church Parish Hall. "Meals on Wheels", some catering to special diets, are available also in this new program, and the food is delivered in disposable thermal containers by volunteer drivers from our town. The meals program is strong and seems to meet the needs of many.

A bus trip to Troy, New Hampshire, was jointly sponsored by the Council and the Golden Lions Club in the early fall foliage season.

As the New Year 1981 begins, we are looking into the possibility of a commercially printed monthly newsletter under the auspices of local businessmen. Editorial help is needed here, if we are to succeed.

Council members have voted to slightly decrease our asking budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1981, in compliance with the budgetary guidelines established by Proposition 2½. However, we will request additional money for the support of the Hot Meals Program, to be used for site rental, which includes utilities so expensive in this era. The State support of the Program will end on July 1, 1981. It is up to each community to support the Program after the first year.

I thank members of the Council who give of their time so willingly. We thank the Selectmen and the Office workers at the Town Hall who help us to process fuel assistance requests and other crisis situations that occasionally arise. May we continue to be enabled to make life bright and hopeful for the elder folks of Millis.

The Rev. CRAWFORD COOMBES, Jr.
Chairman

REPORT OF ZONING LAW APPEAL BOARD

The board held 16 public hearings during calendar year 1980 as follows:

Arthur Block – granted dimensional side and rear line variances for construction of an addition to professional building at 1100 Main Street.

Millis Inn, Inc. – denied use variance to permit the sale of alcoholic beverages at 350 Village Street.

Mary Germano – granted variances to construct a single family residence at 111 Plain Street.

Bernard Lewis – granted determination that the lot at 412 Village Street is a pre-existing, non-conforming legal buildable lot.

Department of Public Works – granted a conditional special permit to allow the construction of a salt storage shed at 7 Water Street.

Richard and Linda Jones – granted conditional dimensional variance from Curve Street property line at 84 Irving Street.

Aetna Visual Concepts – denied a variance to allow an oversize sign at 1380 Main Street.

Robert Quinn – granted variance to construct a single family dwelling at 25 Spencer Street.

Paul A. Doucette – petition withdrawn for property located at 7 Lincoln Street.

Susan Duffy – petition withdrawn to conduct a home occupation at 26 Bow Street.

Robert Mroczka – granted dimensional variance to construct a porch addition at 16 Sherman Road.

Robert and Ann Bellan – granted dimensional variance to construct a two bedroom addition at 29 Union Street.

David and Wendy Soby/William and Edna Serocki – granted approval, with conditions, for operation of heating/air conditioning/electrical business at 54 Plain Street.

Christopher Keller/Katherine Richardson – granted dimensional variance for construction of a storage/studio building and denied variances for construction of a wood/coal/tool shed at 6 Bullard Lane.

James and Arlene Sampson – denied variance to allow three family dwelling unit at 35 Irving Street.

Carston Howland – granted dimensional variance to allow construction of a garage at 29 Pollard Drive.

Annual renewals were issued to:

Helen Kubacki – 22 Middlesex Street – home occupation
Rose Generazio – 35 Union Street – home occupation
Barbara King – 166 Village Street – to keep a horse
Claudette Picklesimer – 183 Farm Street – to keep two horses.

Respectfully submitted,

EARL RHYNE, Chairman
MALCOLM MacKINNON
WAYNE HANSEN
EDWARD NOBREGA
WARREN MacINNES

THE SELECTMEN PROCLAIMED

MID LACROIX DAY IN MILLIS

June 22, 1980

REPORT OF BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Valuation of real estate		$59,482,298.00
Valuation of personal property		2,473,814.00
	Total	$61,956,112.00

TAXES

Air pollution control	925.84
Overlay of prior years	4,211.30
County	73,585.95
State recreation areas	30,426.50
Audit of municipal accounts	344.19
Metropolitan district area	976.35
M.B.T.A.	82,700.00
Mosquito control projects	10,980.82
Motor vehicle excise tax bills	1,035.60
Special education	2,064.00
School lunch program	9,883.00
Free public library	3,267.00
Retired municipal teachers	3,508.67
Court judgements	40,000.00
Town grant	5,858,661.82
Overlay for 1980	92,623.40
Total	$ 6,215,194.44

No Approved Tax Rate at Time of Printing

Estimated receipts and available funds	2,559,783.84
Taxes on real and personal property	3,655,410.60
Received from motor vehicle excise	514,882.00

Contract awarded during year – Roger E. Hardy & Associates, Medfield, updating of values of real estate for Fiscal 1981:

Residential properties – alterations, $10 per card; new construction, $15 per card.

Commercial properties – alterations, $20 per card; new construction, $25 per card.

Apartment complex and industrial properties – alterations, $25 per card, new construction, $100 per card.

Land value changes because of splitting of lots, $20 per card.

Total cost not to exceed $4,000.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL E. McCARTHY, Chairman
MILLARD B. LaCROIX
SAMUEL J. HOWIE
Board of Assessors

REPORT OF CABLE TELEVISION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

On October 28, 1980 the Board of Selectmen approved candidates to serve on the Millis Cable Television Advisory Board. Those recommended were Julius Rosen, Gerald Zundell, Frank Gubala, Clive Nickerson and Robert Provost, Sr.

The first meeting of the CATV Advisory Committee was held on November 6, 1980. At this meeting Robert Provost, Sr. was elected Chairman, Julius Rosen, Vice-Chairman and Frank Gubala, Clerk.

Several public meetings have been held on the advisability of having cable television in the Town of Millis.

A recommendation concerning the advisability of allowing cable television into the Town of Millis will be submitted to the Board of Selectmen early in 1981.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT J. PROVOST, SR.

Chairman

REPORT OF CEMETERY LAND ACQUISITION COMMITTEE

It was the recommendation of this committee last year to use the land on Village Street in Millis for a cemetery site, and the same recommendation is proposed this year – to turn over the Conservation Land on Village Street to the Department of Public Works who could install roads and do whatever is necessary to create a cemetery there. There is a lot of land at the Conservation site on Village Street and between what we have at the present site and what we would attain at the Village Street site, we could have cemetery land for a long time to come. This Board agrees that this can be accomplished without too great an expense even though we now have Proposition 2½ to contend with. The land that is available adjacent to the existing cemetery is not good and the cost to use it would be tremendous. To fill the present bowl would detract from the beauty of the present cemetery. Therefore, it is the recommendation of this Committee that the Town regain the Conservation Land on Village Street that is not being used for anything and build a cemetery there – one that would be extremely beautiful and the right price.

Respectfully submitted,

MARTIN DOLINER

Chairman

REPORT OF CIVIL DEFENSE COMMISSION

I herewith submit my report for the Civil Defense Commission for the year 1980. All requests of the state directors have been fulfilled and reports requested completed and submitted.

Our fire/police dispatchers and civil defense radio communications Officers have taken part in all radio alerts and drills.

Trips have been made to the civil defense surplus depot in Taunton, Massachusetts, in the best interest of the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

MANNING DOLINER

Civil Defense Director

REPORT OF CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The Conservation Commission is responsible for administration of the Massachusetts Wetland Protection Act and the Agricultural Preservation Act within the town. We are also working on acquiring land to be set aside for conservation and on protection of our ground water resources.

Under the Wetland Protection Act, the Commission has the authority to review all projects which might alter the wetlands including wet meadows, marshes, swamps, bogs, including flowing or standing surface and ground water areas. Any person who desires to alter these areas must file a Notice of Intent with the Commission which then holds a public hearing, determines the significance of the area, and then issues an Order of Conditions under which the work can or cannot proceed. The Act was designed to protect these areas from damage to the public and private water supply, flood control, storm damage protection, prevention of pollution and protection of fisheries.

During 1980, the Commission received seven Notices of Intent for projects which might affect the wetlands. In all instances, public hearings were held. An Order of Conditions was issued in each case to direct the activities of these proposed projects adjacent to wetlands. In one case, the Commission's decision was appealed by a citizen and superseded by the State Department of Environmental Quality Engineering (DEQE) Order of Conditions.

The Commission is also responsible for administration of the Agricultural Preservation Act which provides limited State funds for purchase of the development rights to farmlands. Once the development rights are purchased, this land cannot be sold for other than agricultural purposes. The objective of the Act is to discourage the sale of farmland for residential and industrial development. During 1980, we started discussions with a number of farmland owners. We expect to submit our proposal for State purchase of these development rights in 1981. Our aim is to provide a greenbelt area within the town.

In light of the national problems encountered with disposal of chemical wastes and their seepage into ground water supplies, the Commission remains concerned with the protection of Millis' extensive ground water resources. The first step in assuring the fitness of this water is an accurate study of the recharge areas. The Commission will request proposals from qualified engineering consultants to conduct this study in 1981.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN MINNUCCI, Chairman
Millis Conservation Commission

REPORT OF TOWN COUNSEL

During 1980, Millis joined the MBTA Advisory Board and several other cities and towns in a suit against the Governor challenging his authority to take-over the MBTA after it had run out of money. The Supreme Judicial Court heard argument but did not render its decision by the end of the year.

In other new litigation matters during 1980, a suit was brought against the selectmen for their renewal of licenses for Novick's Hotel. A sixth federal condemnation suit was brought against the Town in connection with the taking of land by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Two Appellate Tax Board cases were settled and one automobile accident case against the Town was dismissed. As a result of litigation initiated, in part by the Millis Board of Health, the Pleasant View Rest Home was closed.

Town Counsel rendered 16 formal written legal opinions and 57 oral legal opinions involving legal research to the various Town boards and personnel. He also rendered counsel and advice to Town officials and employees on numerous other occasions. Seventeen contracts were either drafted, revised, or reviewed by Town Counsel. Town Counsel attended most of the regular Selectmen's meetings and several meetings of other Town Boards and personnel, including, but not limited to, the Board of Health, Board of Assessors, Board of Appeals, Conservation Commission, and Police and Fire Station Addition Building Committee. Town Counsel assisted in a grievance hearing before the Personnel Committee and drafted and recorded numerous deeds, easements and liens. Town Counsel attended all Town Meetings and either drafted, revised, or reviewed all warrant articles.

Town Counsel was appointed for a third year to the executive committee of the Massachusetts Association of Town Counsel and City Solicitors, where he has been an active member since becoming Town Counsel for Millis.

The adoption of Proposition 2½ will undoubtedly lead to increased litigation involving the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

HARVEY WEINER
Town Counsel

REPORT OF DOG OFFICER

As Dog Officer, I hereby submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1980.

Calls	531
Complaints	216
Dogs picked up	197
Dogs claimed by owners	123
Dogs unclaimed	74
Dogs given up by owners	11
Cats picked up	31
Cats claimed	4
Cats unclaimed	27
Animals brought to Veterinarian	14
Animals killed on highway	71

I wish to thank the Police Department for their fine cooperation and all dog owners abiding by the Leash Law.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN CASSIDY
Dog Officer

REPORT OF DRAINAGE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE

This Committee, which has been in existence by your appointment for over ten years, makes a general summary of its activity over the past (and prior) years.

We have been available at least each second Sunday afternoon to review each site "case" directed to the Board/D.P.W./Committee by a written complaint.

We are willing to view every drainage problem that comes to our attention. Of course, some originate from private property problems, for which public funds cannot be expended for correction.

The problems correctly associated within the Town's jurisdiction are referred directly to your Department of Public Works for:

1. Quick (emergency) resolution by telephone call.
2. Letter report information for complex drainage analysis with reference to your available drainage study of record.
3. Report and estimate of construction cost for Town Meeting appropriation, if so requested.

It has been a pleasure to have served you in this regard over the past years, and with the future drainage problem years ahead, you may be certain that our resolutions will be targeted toward having your Department of Public Works'

personnel and "in-house" budgetary measures effect the resolution of priority problems in Millis.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES G. ELLIS, P.E., Chairman
LOUIS DeANGELIS
HERBERT STEVENS

REPORT OF COMMITTEE FOR THE PRESERVATION OF THE ELLICE SCHOOL

Our 100th birthday is to be celebrated in four years. There are economic hardships with the rising oil, gas, and food prices and interest rates. However, we must think of how we will celebrate and what we can do to make a lasting contribution to our town. What can we give to our children that will add to their education, interest and love for Millis?

There are many who have a sense of their history. The more we learn of our past, the richer we are in the present and future. This is one reason why our children in the grades study the history of Millis. How much richer and more meaningful will be their study if they can walk through the doors of the Ellice School and relive the past. Many, no doubt, will say "This is where my great grandparents, uncles and aunts sat and studied reading, writing and arithmetic."

This is not an impossible dream if we think positively of the benefits for our children, children's children and for all who live in Millis. Please help make this dream a reality. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted

ROSE L.M. BLOM

Chairman

REPORT OF ENERGY CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

Your Energy Conservation Committee found 1980 a progressive year, albeit, with the soaring cost of energy and inflation, a bit frustrating. The Committee worked hard. Besides their regular meetings, they attended energy related meetings, seminars, demonstrations and workshops in Boston, Randolph, Brockton, Falmouth, Walpole and Worcester. We conferred with the Board of Selectmen and Finance Committee to get their blessing for Article 27 (1980 Town Meeting), which appropriated money for "envelope" and energy saving improvements for Town Buildings. Completed already and of good use this past winter was insulation and storm windows along with a vestibule at the Town Office and a vestibule at Niagara Hall. Other work in various stages and contemplation are at the Library, Rockville Fire Station and the DPW Building. Meetings with the School Committee saw the Junior-Senior High School get a more efficient illuminated perimeter

sodium vapor lighting system that also resulted in a marked decrease in vandalism Also at the Junior-Senior High School, the installation of a "Boss" system by Honeywell, a computer controlled monitoring of the heating system came under our review.

The Committee lost the valued services of Nick Costantino to illness during the year. Nick, the Head Custodian of the schools, had done a yeoman's job with conservation and energy savings there. He has been missed. Francis Murphy, now Acting Head Custodian, has been a welcome and encouraging fill-in.

Sam Howie has given of his expertise in energy related work. His heating knowledge and efficiency ratings of all Town heating systems along with his past Finance Committee experience and contact work are to be commended.

The third member, your Wiring Inspector and author of this report, has handled the electrical energy related audits of Town buildings and schools and has acted as sort of expediter in matters of conservation.

Together as a team we have worked well and know we've done a good job. Tho' the future looks bleak, we've got a start and will continue giving our best for dear old Millis.

Respectfully submitted,
TAUNO AALTO, SR.
for the Committee

REPORT OF FENCE VIEWERS

There were no fence problems to resolve during 1980.

Respectfully submitted,
HERBERT STEVENS
LOUIS DeANGELIS
EMIL F. VERDERBER

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Five new men were added to the Department after eight weeks of training by company officers on all aspects of firefighting, including pump operation, ladders, laying hose, etc.

Many of the firefighters attended a course on the laying of hose lines given by the Massachusetts Firefighting Academy in Medway.

The Department had eleven company practices, and the officers held squad practices with their respective squads.

Inspections of schools, rest homes, and hotels were also done.

At the annual Town Meeting in May 1980, money was appropriated to purchase a new pumping engine. The contract to build the truck was awarded to Maxim Industries of Middleboro, Mass. The truck will probably be delivered in June of 1981.

Permits were issued as follows:

42 Oil burner permits
6 Blasting permits
7 Model rocket permits
6 Black powder permits
22 Home fire alarm inspections
2 Sale of Christmas trees
10 Propane gas installations

From January 1 to December 31, the Department responded to 228 calls:

5 Dumpster
45 Woods
1 Transformer fire
7 Gas leaks
3 Downed wires
15 Grass
8 False alarms
15 Car fires
11 Assistance calls
13 Chimney fires
12 Motor vehicle accidents
6 Mutual aid
30 Smoke investigations
3 A.D.T. & Sprinkler alarms
8 Stove fires
8 Building fires (house)
5 Fire alarm systems
2 Dryer fires
2 Truck fires
5 Burning wires (Edison)
5 Gas wash downs
1 Building fire (barn)
1 Hay wagon fire
2 Disposal area
3 Kitchen fires
1 Boat accident
1 Hot water heater (gas)
1 Bomb scare
6 Water problems
1 Oil burner
1 Gas furnace

Mutual aid help was given to the Millis Fire Department from the towns of Medway, Medfield, Sherborn, and Norfolk. Their help was greatly appreciated.

I would like to thank the Board of Selectmen, the Police Department, Fire and Police dispatchers, and the citizens of Millis for their help and cooperation.

Janet Collins and her assistants at the D.P.W. office are nice enough to answer many of my calls that are relayed there. Without the cooperation of the D.P.W. Commissioners and the D.P.W. Superintendent Robert Leslie, I would not be able to perform Fire Department duties. I thank them all.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT A. VOLPICELLI

Fire Chief

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

Submitted herewith is the annual report of the Board of Health for the year ending December 31, 1980.

In accordance with Chapter III, Section 27 of the General Laws, the board reorganized at a meeting on May 7, 1980. Elected were Chairman, John J. Lyons; Clerk, Joshua Mael; and third member Joanne M. Ganley, R.N.

The regular meetings were set for the first and third Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at Niagara Hall.

PERMITS AND LICENSES ISSUED BY BOARD OF HEALTH

Food service establishment	14
Retail	6
Non-profit organization, no charge	13
Catering permits	0
Bottling license	1
Transport and dispose offal	7
Swimming pools, public	2
Swimming pools, private	16
Disposal works installer's permits	11
Well permits	10
Funeral directors	3
Septic systems	
New installations	8
Modification of existing facilities	18
Resubmissions	1
Percolation and deep holes	26
Hypodermic needle and syringe permits	5

There were 13 dog bites and 1 gerbil bite reported.

Four contracts were issued in 1980: Physical therapy, occupational therapy, Norfolk-Bristol Home Health Services, Inc., and garbage disposal collector.

COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

The following communicable diseases were reported to the Board of Health by physicians during 1980:

Chicken pox	9
Strep throat	101
Malaria	1

MILK INSPECTOR

During the past year Philip Gavin, milk inspector, reported all milk distributed throughout the Town of Millis has been examined and tested by the Department of Public Health and found to conform to their minimum standards.

The following permits were issued and money for same turned over to the town treasurer:

4 Oleomargarine permits	@ $ .50	$ 2.00
16 Milk permits	@ 2.00	32.00
		$34.00

MENTAL HEALTH

Through its partnership with the Norfolk Mental Health Association, the town of Millis is able to guarantee its residents – children, youth and adults – access to an integrated network of quality mental health services. For example, the Cutler Counseling Center is a comprehensive mental health clinic sponsored by the Association in partnership with the state and local towns to provide a wide range of outpatient services to citizens who need them, at fees based on their ability to pay.

The Norfolk Mental Health Association is a private non-profit corporation, dedicated to the promotion of mental health, the prevention of mental illness, and the improved care and treatment of the mentally disabled. Millis and 11 other towns comprise our health service area – Canton, Dedham, Foxboro, Medfield, Norfolk, Norwood, Plainville, Sharon, Walpole, Westwood and Wrentham.

Among the major programs available to Millis residents are: CUTLER COUNSELING CENTER, an outpatient mental health center with a multi-disciplinary staff serving children, youth, adults and families; offering the traditional services of intake, referral, diagnosis and treatment, as well as special ongoing groups (e.g. Widowed Lifeline, Recreational Gym, Social Rehabilitation), short-term groups (e.g. Stress Management, Divorce and Separation), and consultation and education to community agencies and area industries; NORFOLK CLINICAL CHILDREN'S CENTER, a therapeutic nursery school for emotionally, behaviorally or developmentally delayed children ages 3-7; CASE-AIDE PROGRAM, offering trained volunteers who "befriend" and help patients both in and out of Medfield State Hospital as well as victims of domestic violence within the community; Project HIRE, a comprehensive vocational rehabilitation facility for adults with emotional, developmental and/or physical handicaps offering comprehensive diagnostic vocational evaluations, skill training, counseling, job placement and sheltered employment; COMMUNITY RESIDENTIAL SERVICES, a program recently established to help provide people with safe and dignified housing following discharge from Medfield State Hospital, to provide consultation and information regarding residential treatment and to design and implement community alternatives to inpatient hospitalization; COMMUNITY EDUCATION AND INFORMATION, an association-wide activity offering such public services as: publication of a newsletter and educational materials, provision of speakers for community activities and meetings, workshops and adult education programs for parents, health providers and others, and consultation and education to other community agencies.

Millis residents have increasingly used our services. During Fiscal Year 1980, Cutler Counseling Center served 91 families compared to 69 families the previous year – an increase of 32 percent. This case load represents 1,213 face-to-face individual or family counseling hours; 436 group counseling hours to Millis

residents, at a cost of approximately $59,420; an additional 43¼ hours of consultation services costing $1,730 was delivered to Millis schools and agencies. The town of Millis contributed $3,725.50 ($3,253 town taxes and $472.50 consultation and direct service) toward the cost of these services. An estimated $41,800 was paid by the clients or by third party insurers such as Blue Cross, Medicaid and commercial insurance. The estimated balance of $19,350 in costs represents services donated free to the residents of Millis.

In the past fiscal year, the largest percentage of Millis cases were referred by institutions or agencies such as hospitals, clinics, schools or courts. Others were referred through friends, families, or community professionals such as physicians and clergy. The most common requests for help concern such problems as depression and anxiety, difficulties in marriage or family relationships, school or behavior related problems, adjustment difficulties, and alcohol or drug abuse.

Activities of particular interest to Millis that occurred over the past year involve the following programs:

. . .The Child Development Team (Pre-School, Chapter 766, and Adolescent Services) provides direct services to Millis children and their families as well as indirect services to community professionals and agencies. In FY 1980 one hour weekly of free direct service or consultation time was allotted to the Millis schools. Much of this time has been used to consult on 766 Core Evaluations. The Child Development Team regularly consults with Millis nursery and day care teachers on "problem children". This work is vital to the early identification and prevention of serious mental health problems.

. . .The unique Widowed Lifeline program provides supportive counseling and friendship for recently widowed residents of our catchment area. This service has proven to be quite valuable and is available to all Millis residents.

. . .The Case-Aide program which provides readjustment services for recently deinstitutionalized individuals, is also available to all Millis residents. In addition, the Case-Aide program provides valuable on-the-job training and experience to the individual case worker.

The Norfolk Mental Health Association is governed by a Board of Directors composed of citizens from each town in our health service area. Millis is represented by Rita Congdon (C.C.D. Coordinator, St. Thomas the Apostle Church) of 95 Acorn Street.

Millis has traditionally participated in and funded comprehensive mental health services through the Norfolk Mental Health Association. Millis' allocation – 50 cents per capita – in 1981 or $3,385 has not increased since 1974, despite rising costs carried by the Association.

BOARD OF HEALTH AGENTS

For the year, 1980, there were several miscellaneous complaints received and appropriate action taken where necessary including court action.

A busy year involved all three agents who spent many hours in the fields. Complaints were received at all hours, day and night. Due to the new State regulations, all complaints must be acted upon within 48 hours no matter how the complaints are presented.

Eight septic system installation inspections were made plus 18 inspections for modifications of existing facilities. Some of these required re-inspections.

Receipts sent to the town treasurer from the Board of Health totaled $3,896.

NURSING SERVICE

The Millis Board of Health is an official home health agency certified by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health to provide nursing, physical therapy, occupational therapy and home health aide service to the residents of Millis. This agency is under the direction of the Board of Health. Policies are set by the governing body with assistance from a nine-member Professional Advisory Committee.

This agency provides home health service to persons in their homes under the direction of a physician who requests such service. Also provided are Board of Health services including testing for and surveillance of communicable diseases, health education and counseling, prenatal and postnatal teaching and teaching for families of premature infants. Clinics for disease screening, health education and immunization are held regularly. During this year 546 individuals benefitted from such services.

Recent Federal and State regulations continue to have a substantial impact on the operation and continued certification of this agency. Proposition 2½ will affect this board as it affects the Town of Millis. Changes will be made as needed to cope with these new requirements.

Nursing visits increased 16% over the same reporting period last year. Please see statistics at the end of this report. Extended hours, part of the new Medicaid regulations, have been in effect for one year. All skilled services are now available from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. seven days a week. The cost-effectiveness of this service is now being evaluated state-wide.

Nursing service portion of the Board of Health budget for fiscal year 1980-1981 was $61,510. Revenue returned to the town treasurer was $45,170 or 21% higher than this period last year. This revenue represents payment from Medicare, 71%; Medicaid, 22%; insurance, 5%; and private fees, 2% for skilled services provided.

Highlights of programs presented this year was a Cancer Screening Clinic held in October, 1980, co-sponsored by the American Cancer Society and Oak Tree League. A Diabetes Detection Program was held with good response.

Long-range plans include studying ways to combine service with other providers for cost-effective health care delivery. Plans for this year include studying community needs and designing programs to meet these needs.

This agency cooperates with many community services including Council on Aging, King Philip Elder Services, Community Mental Health Liaison nurse from the Department of Mental Health and other health care facilities to provide optimum continuity of care.

Thanks are extended to the Board of Health, Professional Advisory Committee and the community for their assistance and support during this year.

NURSING VISITS

Disease	Cases	Visits
Arthritis	5	76
Cancer	13	176
Cardiovascular	14	341
CVA	3	12
Diabetes	6	146
Other chronic	9	313
Injuries	6	59
Mental health problems	4	24
Post-operative	5	194
Other non-communicable	4	15
	69	1,356

Total agency cases: 69

Visits by age

1-4	5-20	21-44	45-64	65 +
23	37	5	94	1197

Cases by age

1-4	5-20	21-44	45-64	65 +
1	1	1	10	53

Fee status by visit

Full fee	Insurance	Medicaid	Medicare
7	64	205	1061

Fee status by case

Full fee	Insurance	Medicaid	Medicare
3	5	16	43

PHYSICAL THERAPY

Total visits: 473

Disease	Cases	Visits
Arthritis	1	74
Cancer	3	64
Cardiovascular	2	2
CVA	2	16
Diabetes	1	10
Chronic	3	226
Injuries	6	81
	18	473

Visits by age	45-64	65 +
	96	377

Cases by age	45-64	65 +
	6	12

Fee status by case	Full fee	Insurance	Medicaid	Medicare
	1	5	1	11

Fee status by visit	Full fee	Insurance	Medicaid	Medicare
	13	45	145	270

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

Disease	Cases	Visits
Cancer	1	1
Other chronic	1	4
Injuries	1	4
	3	9

Visits by age	45-64	65 +
	5	4

Cases by age	45-64	65 +
	2	1

Fee status by case	Insurance	Medicare
	1	2

Fee status by visit	Insurance	Medicare
	1	8

HOME HEALTH AIDE

Disease	Cases	Visits	Hours
Arthritis	2	105	347½
Cancer	2	88	402
Cardiovascular	8	155	464¼
CVA	1	11	30¼
Diabetes	2	25	69½
Chronic disease	4	133	400
Injuries	1	19	57
Post-op	2	63	143
	22	599	1,913½

Cases by age	5-20	45-64	65 +
	1	1	20

Visits/hours by age

5-20	45-64	65 +
86 (397)	76 (218½)	437 (1298)

Fee status by case	Medicare	Medicaid	Insurance
	15	6	1

Fee status by visits/hours

Medicare	Medicaid	Insurance
332 (918¾)	181 (597¾)	86 (397)

HEALTH PROMOTION VISITS

Home visits

Visits by age	Under 28 d.	28-1	1-4	5-20
	2	1	1	4
	21-44	45-64	65 +	
	5	8	42	

MATERNITY HOME VISITS

Visits by age	Under 28 d.	28-1	5-20	21-44
	6	2	1	5

Cases: 7 Premature: 3

OFFICE VISITS (Health promotion)

Visits by age	28 d. - 1	1-4	5-20	21-44	45-64	65 +
	1	6	5	3	11	35

Investigation of communicable diseases: 15 TB tests: 12
Lead tests: 2 Throat cultures: 4

OFFICE VISITS (Disease control)

Disease	Cases	Visits
Diabetes	1	12
Mental health	1	3
Cardiovascular	1	1
	3	16

Visits by age	45-64	65 +
	3	13

Cases by age	45-64	65 +
	1	2

Fee status by visit	Full fee	Medicaid
	12	4

Fee status by case	Full fee	Medicaid
	1	2

CLINICS

Senior Citizen Clinic	Clinics	Clients	Visits
	12	89	349

Well Adult Clinic	1	8

Cancer Screening Program; October, 1980

Breast exam	27
Pap smears	25
Oral cancer exams	19
Colon rectal cancer screening	9
Referrals	5

Flu and Pneumovax Clinics	Clinics	Clients
	3	161 (Flu) 6 (Pneumovax)

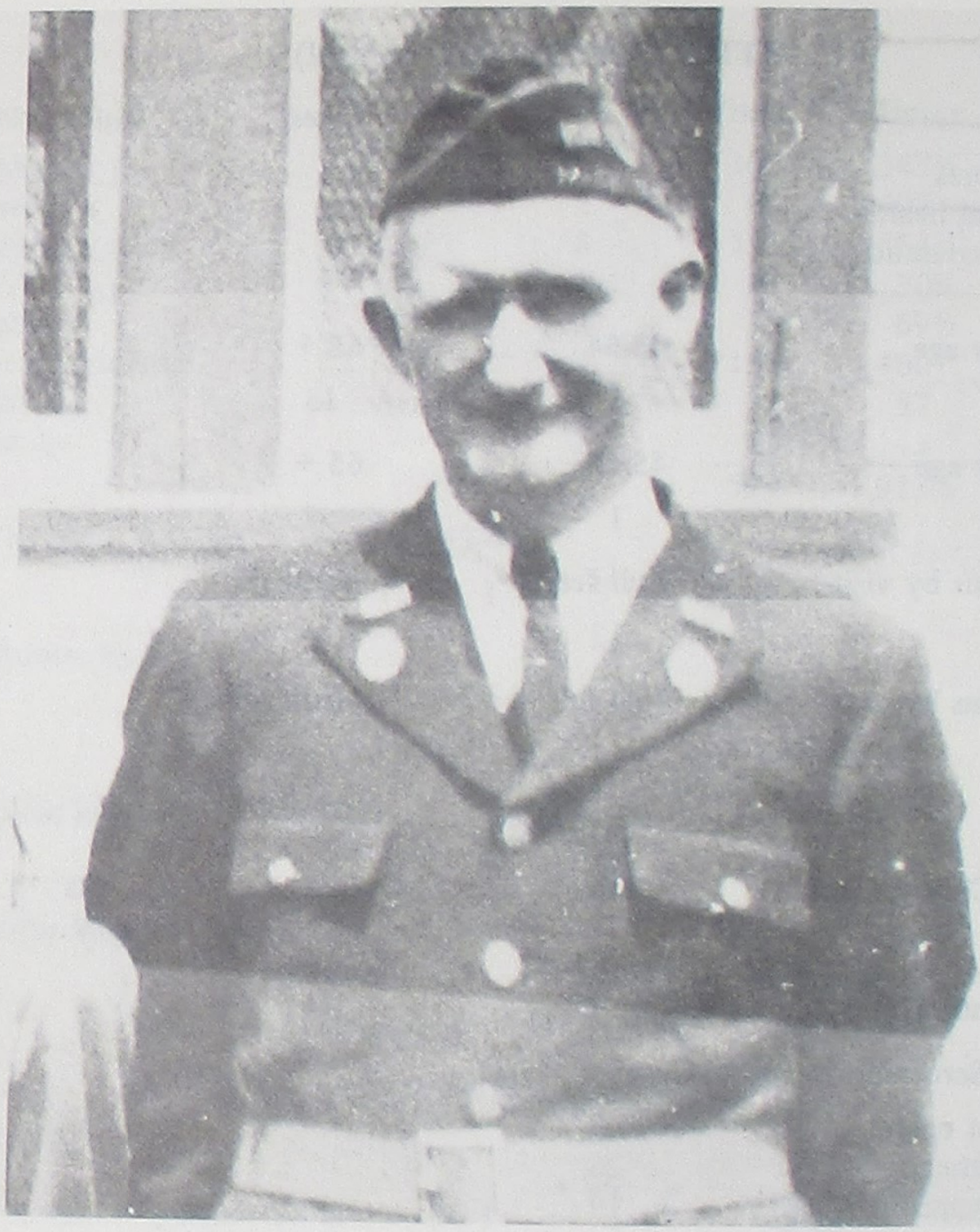
Immunization Clinic; May, 1980

Polio	18
TD	25
MMR	5
DPT	12

Diabetes Detection Program: 47 clients
Nursery School visits: 2, 1 assessment

Total agency visits: 2,336
Total individuals served: 546

MILLIS BOARD OF HEALTH
John J. Lyons
Joshua Mael
Joanne M. Ganley, R.N.



WALTER W. HOAR

November 26, 1894 – December 4, 1980

Walter Hoar was a life-long resident of Millis. He was an owner of the Quality Market which was located for many years on Exchange Street.

Mr. Hoar was very involved with the community. He served on the Memorial Day Committee for fifteen years, and was a member of the Finance Committee for six years. He served on the 1943 Honor Roll Committee and the Municipal Building Committee the same year.

Mr. Hoar was Cemetery Commissioner for fourteen years. He also served on the Police and Fire Station Special Committee in 1950 and the Millis Housing Authority. He was a member of the 1968 Ration Board.

The Millis Distinguished Citizen Award was presented to Mr. Hoar on September 17, 1976.

REPORT OF HISTORICAL COMMISSION

The Historical Commission members have been working on updating the Town inventories in compliance with the request of the Massachusetts Historical Commission.

Research and documentation has been completed on our oldest and last Roman arch structured bridge, Old Neck Bridge. Our hopes are to get the bridge on the National Register in Washington, D.C.

Last spring, with the help of Frank Gubala and Henry Doyle, we videotaped some of our life-long residents with the hope of preserving, through them, the changes in Millis; the legends, education, transportation and growth. We would like to thank all those residents who took the time to share their memories with us. We plan to do another filming in the near future.

We are looking forward to a very busy, resourceful and rewarding year.

Respectfully submitted,

JACQUELINE GRACI

Chairman

REPORT OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY

The Millis Housing Authority Board continued to hold monthly meetings to report on the activities of the Authority and set new policy. We also continue to maintain full occupancy and a healthy waiting list of elderly applicants.

The Board gained two new members in 1980. Both Miss Ethel Mahan and Mr. Vincent Howley have contributed greatly to the Board.

The Authority was granted modernization money from the Executive Office of Community Development. With these funds the Authority will be able to continue to maintain the complex as a modern, desirable place for the elderly to live.

We would like to recognize Ann E. Latosek for her continued efforts as Executive Director and thank her for her contributions to the Authority.

We would like to acknowledge the many Town departments and local associations without whom our success would be difficult. We would also like to give special thanks to the Police Department and the Department of Public Works for their assistance and support consistently throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

GORDON M. WESTWATER

Chairman

REPORT OF HUD COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM

In 1979 Millis was the recipient of a federal grant of $250,000 to be administered by the Town. The funding was to be made available, through grants and/or low interest loans to local homeowners to upgrade their properties.

The primary aim of the program has been to correct violations of the building code and potential violations, as well as to employ energy conservation improvements wherever possible.

Under the jurisdiction of the Board of Selectmen, Lois Dates Hultzman was appointed Coordinator and William T. Dean as Rehabilitation Specialist. Mrs. Hultzman left the program in December to move to New York.

Many applications were received for funding, however the "target" area was confined to a small circle around the center of Millis, and, as a result, many applicants were not eligible. We were able to provide help for every eligible applicant living within the target area.

Of the 39 approved projects, 23 have been completed, 15 are in process, and 1 is pending.

Items written up and contracted	221
Code violations	92
Incipient code violations	77
New roofs	8
New heating units	11
New septic systems	3
Complete insulation jobs	15

Numerous items to aid in providing improved living conditions, quality of life and neighborhoods included painting, window repair, ceiling repair, gutter replacement, steps, railings, entrys, flooring, partitions, stairs, chimneys, ventilation, foundations and siding.

Energy conservation measures were accomplished in 100 percent of the homes. These included such items as storm windows and doors, additional insulation, replacing window sash and frames and new water heaters.

Projects are continuing through the winter months and it is anticipated that the program will be completed sometime in March of 1981.

Respectfully submitted,

SUSAN LOCKETT, Coordinator
WILLIAM T. DEAN, Rehabilitation Specialist

REPORT OF ANIMAL INSPECTOR

For the year 1980 there were 13 dog bites and one gerbil bite reported.

The annual animal census and barn inspections were completed as directed by the Massachusetts Division of Animal Health.

The census was as follows:

171 head of cattle
112 horses and ponies
108 sheep
117 swine
15 goats

Respectfully submitted,

JOSHUA MAEL
Animal Inspector

REPORT OF BUILDING INSPECTOR

Two hundred and twenty nine building permits were issued for all categories of construction during 1980. Total estimated construction was $1,228,598.

Permits issued:

Single dwellings	10	Signs	13
Alterations	39	Barns, garages, sheds	17
Additions	37	Commercial Buildings	2
Wood stoves	85	Demolitions	1
Swimming pools	16	Miscellaneous	9

It should be noted that building permits are required for all types of home improvements.

I would like to express my appreciation to Philip Bianchi, Alternate Building Inspector; Rose Robinson, Jackie Anderson, Mary Germano and Brenda Whelan, all of whom have assisted me.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. WHELAN

Building Inspector

REPORT OF PLUMBING AND GAS INSPECTOR

In 1980 there were 241 plumbing permits and 171 gas permits issued during the year.

The total permit fees collected were as follows:

Plumbing permit fees	$1,302
Gas permit fees	1,109
	$2,411

I wish to express my appreciation and many thanks to Shirley Rowley, Rose Robinson and Mary Germano for their willing help during the past year. Also many thanks to Henry McCarthy, Assistant Plumbing and Gas Inspector, for his assistance during 1980.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS C. FRASCA

Plumbing and Gas Inspector

REPORT OF WIRING INSPECTOR

Worthy Selectmen, I present my report
For nineteen eighty. A nostalgic sort
Of synopsis of the electrical staff.
End of an era, pre two-and-a-half.

Overall pattern shows activity eased
Reflecting a frugal economy, squeezed
By inflation and energy crunches
(It seems all troubles come in bunches.)

Permits listed below – can be seen
Totaled up – two hundred thirteen
Inspections – (to inspect what was wired)
Seven hundred twenty-five, required.

You ask "How many hours it took?"
Six hundred thirty-six, we book.
Unpaid mileage, the bottom line
Nineteen hundred seventy-nine.

Additions	21	Oil burner	4
Alterations/Renovations	44	Siding	4
Service changes	37	Temporary services	4
Commercial	38	Solar installations	4
Swimming pools	16	Stores	3
Homeowner	16	Sign	1
Industrial	6	Gas burner	1
New dwellings	6	Water heater	1
Municipal	6	Barn	1

Tho' assistants are many, good ones rare.
Millis is lucky to have a Ted Maher.
One thing is certain, ere I come to a close
I thank the ladies, beginning with Rose
Then Jackie, Roma, Brenda and Mary
Helpful, cheerful, never contrary.
Counting one's blessings, none surpass mine
Thanks to having a wife like Quine.

Preceding statistics, my position requires
Respectfully submitted, Inspector of Wires

TAUNO O. AALTO SR.

REPORT OF INSURANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The Insurance Advisory Committee is continuing to try to obtain the best possible insurance coverage for the town of Millis at the lowest possible cost. As everyone is aware, inflationary factors are affecting losses and, thus, premium costs are rising.

We are currently putting together specifications to put the insurance program out to bid for the fiscal year 1981-1982. We believe this to be the best approach in determining the lowest possible costs.

We are happy to advise the town that both the W.C. policy and the Commercial Automobile policy of the town has premiums below the manual rates because of good past loss experience. Not only is this a dollar saving in insurance premium but indicates that the employees of the town have not been involved in as many accidents with the ensuing grief that such may cause.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. PURKIS, Chairman
Insurance Advisory Committee

REPORT OF KOREAN VIETNAM MEMORIAL

In May of 1979 a committee was formed for the construction and erection of the Korean Vietnam Memorial. At the town meeting, the Town of Millis gave the committee $3,000.00 for the memorial. On ordering the memorial, after finding a good one for the price, we had to give a deposit of $1,500.00 leaving a balance of $1,500.00 to be paid for the stone on erection at the site. The Korean Vietnam Committee went on a drive to try and get further funds to have the names cut into the stone. We have 327 names at a cutting price of $4.00 per name at a cost of $1,308.00. We received donations of $695.00 for name cutting on the stone. The flag pole for the memorial has been donated by Martin Doliner at a cost to him of $500.00. So, at this time, if by some means the town can appropriate the $613.00, we can dedicate the Korean Vietnam Memorial on Memorial Day, May 25, 1981.

Respectfully submitted,

MARTIN DOLINER, Ex-Officio
PHILIP BIANCHI
WILLIAM BOTTERMAN
JAMES WILLEY
CLIFFORD JESTINGS

REPORT OF LIBRARY REPORT

The inflated dollar and the prospect of budget cuts at national, state and local levels encourages all of us to look at our public service programs critically in terms of cost and effectiveness.

One evaluative statistic which addresses both of these issues in public libraries is circulation data. What is the volume of business measured in the number of books circulated per capita? The Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners issues an annual report which allows comparisons of all public libraries in the state. The 1979 report (available) lists the Millis Public Library at 10.10 books circulated per capita, which is higher than all the area towns of Dover, Medway, Norfolk, Bellingham, Holliston, Medfield, Foxboro and Franklin. Sherborn has a 1 book per capita higher circulation, but its per capita cost to its townspeople is twice that of Millis. Circulation figures do not measure the total quality, value, or usefulness of a public library, but are a strong indication of the impact the library has in the community. The statistics offered here indicate our library is well used.

Another thought which emerges whenever money is very tight questions the need for both public and school libraries to exist in the same town. The tendency is to assume more similarity than exists. The reality is that the Millis Public Library must provide and offer services to all ages with a wide variety of educational, social and interest backgrounds in the total 7000 population who read and/ or visit the library on the 300 days and nights it is open.

In contrast, school libraries exist to supplement the educational program the school system offers, so are an integral part, not of the town's services but of the school's services. The school library must therefore be evaluated in terms of what it offers to its special population of 1400 students on the 180 days and hours of the school year.

That the public library also offers useful materials on evenings and Saturdays to elementary, high school and college students, for homework, school reports, and/or recreational or school-needs reading, is incidental to the main purposes of the public library.

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICIA C. ISEMAN
Librarian-in-Charge

Library Report
1980

		Circulation	
Purchased Books	2,100	Adult Fiction	20,982
Discarded Books	250	Adult Non-Fiction	16,855
Gifts	200	Juvenile Fiction	19,420
Total Books	36,964	Juvenile Non-Fiction	8,669
		Total	65,926

REPORT OF M.A.P.C. DOWNTOWN STUDY COMMITTEE

The Town of Millis received a "Technical Assistance Grant" from the Metropolitan Area Planning Council to develop a plan for the revitalization of the downtown area. The Selectmen appointed the committee to provide Town input to the MAPC study.

The Committee met with the MAPC representatives and a public meeting was held April 10, 1980. The MAPC presented its findings in a report entitled "Town Center Conceptual Plan". The plan proposes short and long term developments which would benefit the town in terms of space utilization, parking, appearance and safety. The report has been submitted to the Board of Selectmen.

Respectfully submitted,

DOMENIC E. D'ERAMO
JOHN KOZA
EDWARD CHISHOLM
EDWARD DEAN
LOIS HULTZMAN
LAWRENCE McCARTHY

REPORT OF MBTA ADVISORY BOARD DESIGNEE

The year 1980 has been one of turmoil for the MBTA, Advisory Board and the State Legislature.

The Advisory Board approved a 1980 budget of $302 million which was 4% above the 1979 budget figure. This was in line with cap put on local spending by State government.

However, the MBTA management chose not to spend at the approved level of funding during 1980 and a financial crisis arose in November.

The Advisory Board refused to allocate an additional $43 million to fund the MBTA through December 1980. The Governor then invoked his "emergency powers" in early December to keep the MBTA running using State and local funds. The judicial courts then ruled that the Governor had acted illegally in taking over the MBTA.

As a last resort the State Legislature was called into emergency session in mid-December and a compromise bill was passed providing the additional $43 million. However, this bill also contained major reforms in the areas of management controls and union requirements.

It was apparent to the Advisory Board and the State Legislature that changes had to be made if we were to avoid the same financial crisis in 1981.

The year 1980 was a year of change for the MBTA and Millis played an active role. We will continue to play an active role as long as we are a member of the Advisory Board and until the MBTA becomes a viable alternative means of transportation.

Respectfully submitted,

RUSSELL P. CHAMBERLAIN

Designee

REPORT OF TOWN MODERATOR

The Annual Town Meeting in May was the only Town Meeting held during 1980 as was the case in 1979. A closer scrutiny has been given to the entire budget by both members of the Town Boards and Committees and the taxpayers. The implementation of the four percent tax cap provided further momentum to the Town's desire to keep tax spending down. As everyone is well aware, the vote on Proposition 2½ will have a significant effect upon expenditures and tax levy for the upcoming year. Anyone who has any questions regarding Town Meeting in general or about specific items on the warrant should feel free to contact the Town Moderator prior to Town Meeting in order to solve any potential problems and iron out procedural difficulties.

As in the past, several new members were appointed to the Personnel and Finance Committees in the Town. There seemed to have been fewer

applications submitted during the past two years for appointment to Town Committees and this is regrettable because the Town needs willing and qualified persons to serve on these Committees. I would then like to express my thanks to those people who have given their time and service to the Town. Committee work is difficult and time-consuming and often thankless, but the Town cannot function unless people are willing to serve. Lastly, I want to thank all those who consistently attend the Town Meeting and take part in shaping the future of our Town.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN G. DUGAN

REPORT OF NORFOLK COUNTY MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT

The Operational Project Program integrates all proven technologies into a system of mosquito control that is rational, safe, effective and economically feasible.

All mosquito eggs need water to hatch and to sustain larval growth.

Source Reduction Work: Our primary efforts are concentrated on the draining of shallow, standing, stagnant water and the maintenance of existing flow systems which contribute to mosquito breeding sources.

Drainage ditches cleaned	7367 feet
Brush obstructing drainage cut	2075 feet
Culverts cleaned and opened	10 count

Larviciding: Treatment of mosquito larvae during aquatic development is the next most effective control effort.

Aerial applied larvicide	1755 acres
Larvicide by backpack and mistblowers	125 acres

Adulticiding: The suppression of flying adult mosquitoes becomes necessary when they are numerous, annoying or threatening to residents.

Aerial U.L.V. adulticide application	461 acres
Adulticide mistblowing from trucks	4990 acres
Adulticide U.L.V. from trucks	4896 acres
Catch basin application. Adulticide and larvicide	576 count

Surveys, inspections and monitoring in support of our programs include locating and mapping breeding areas, larval and adult collections and fieldwork evaluations leading to better drainage.

The Project received 116 calls from residents for information and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT W. HEUSER, Superintendent

REPORT OF PLANNING BOARD

During the year 1980 the Planning Board held twenty-three meetings and one public hearing.

In January the Board accepted with regret the resignation of Theodore P. Burbank, Jr., who served as a member from 1971 through 1979.

Amendments to the zoning by-laws were proposed in order for the Town to meet the requirements of the Flood Insurance Program. A request for proposals for professional services to assist the Planning Board in preparing the required amendments was advertised in the Milford Daily News on March 5, 1980. Proposals were submitted by Anderson-Nichols and Camp Dresser & McKee Inc. On March 16, 1980 the contract was awarded to Camp Dresser & McKee Inc. The proposed amendments were adopted at the Annual Town Meeting.

The Board was petitioned by Robert Quinn for consent to allow for reconsideration of an unfavorable decision of the Zoning Board of Appeals, to seek a variance of frontage requirements for a single family home at Lot No. 36, Spencer Street. Consent was granted by an affirmative vote of four members of the Planning Board.

Ten approval not required plans were reviewed and endorsed by the Board.

Respectfully submitted,

C. JOHN GRECO

Chairman

IN MEMORIAM

DORIS G. FOSTER

July 13, 1921 – November 30, 1980

Doris Foster served as a Millis Police and Fire Dispatcher for 25 years.

Her untimely death deeply saddened the Police Department as well as the community.

REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

The Police Department was deeply saddened at the passing of Dispatcher Doris Foster on December 1, 1980. Doris had worked as Police and Fire dispatcher for 25 years and was one of the most faithful and dedicated employees the town will ever see. Doris was like a mother to us all and will be greatly missed.

The Crime Watch Program that has been in effect for two years has been successful and with the citizens cooperation in calling the police when a suspicious activity occurs has resulted in arrests and I'm sure prevented crime in many instances.

The accident rate has been decreased to a great degree. Part of this can be attributed to the visibility of your new Harley-Davidson Highway Safety motorcycle. This versatile vehicle was acquired with no cost to the taxpayer and has proven to be a valuable addition to your fleet.

The department is running shorthanded at the present time by one man. This problem I hope will be solved shortly.

This past year has definitely proved that the crime problem with the cities is moving into the suburbs at an alarming rate. The people we are dealing with most of the time are from urban areas and appear to be moving their operations into the small towns.

The crime trend in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts showed that the seven serious crimes which make up this index rose the following percentages. Murder + 12.6%, Forcible Rape + 16.5%, Robbery + 6.4%, Aggravated Assault + 9.3%, Burglary + 4.5%, Larceny + 3.6%, Motor Vehicle Theft – 9.3%.

Your new addition to the station is nearing completion at this time and will prove to be a workable building for many years to come. There is no question that the town, for the money, got a real bargain.

I would like to thank the various boards for their continued cooperation throughout the year.

Sincerely,

GEORGE J. SMITH JR.

Police Chief

1980 ANNUAL POLICE REPORT

Breaking & Entering	87	Child Abuse	4
Larceny	178	Attempted Suicide	1
Motor Vehicle Thefts	13	Rape	1
Motor Vehicle Recovered	2	Total Citations Issued	333
Assault	19	Radar Citations Issued	84
Vandalism	111	Total Accidents Motor Vehicle	253
Drug Law Violation	19	Personal Injury Accidents	54
Disturbances	210	Fatal Motor Vehicle Accidents	2
Civil Complaints	75	Pistol Permits Issued	54
Missing Persons	10	Firearms I.D. Cards	59
Suspicious Activity	540	Assist Fire Department	
Assault to Rape	1	Total Photo Negatives	376
Assault with dangerous weapon	3	Total Prints Made	296
Exposing	4	Arrest	125
Armed Robbery	1	Protective Custody	26

POLICE PROSECUTOR'S COURT REPORT 1980

The year 1980 showed many more problems for prosecution of town criminal matters. Some of the problems are as follows:

1. Increase in case load in Norfolk County Courts.
2. Undermanned court departments.
3. 3 to 4 month delay in obtaining trial dates due to above.
4. Increase in non-criminal matters.
5. Increase in jury-of-six trials (which are held in Dedham)
6. Citizen's becoming unavailable as witnesses due to delays.

The following is an itemized list of court transactions.

Complaints signed	1022
Citizens assisted with complaints	168
Prosecutor's appearances:	
District Court	253
Jury of six	78
Superior Court	43
Adult trials	376
Juvenile trials	87
Criminal hearings	54
Non-Criminal hearings	77
Non-Criminal appeals	9
Officer's appearances:	
District Court	49
Jury of six	14
Superior Court	4
Cases disposed of	496

Total costs paid to town	$ 466.73
Total witness fees paid by town	36.00
Non-Criminal fines paid to town	9,354.00

1980 POLICE AMBULANCE REPORT

Sick	41	Mental	4
Breathing Problem	21	Allergic Reaction	5
DOA	2	Falls	19
Heart/Stroke	49	Pedestrian MVA	4
MVA Injuries	57	Seizures	10
Laceration/Avulsion	7	Crushing Injuries	4
Pregnant	2	Choking	1
Head Injuries	3	Back Injuries	3
Break/Dislocation	18	Attempted Suicide	1
Alcohol	7	Drowning	2
Stand By	3	Overdose	3
Smoke Inhalation	3	Total	270

Mutual Aid Runs to:	Medway	5
	Medfield	3
	Sherborn	4
	Norfolk	1
Mutual Aid Runs from:	Medway	2

1980 Ambulance Runs by the Month:

January	21	July	25
February	22	August	31
March	21	September	19
April	12	October	24
May	15	November	15
June	34	December	31
		Total	270

REPORT OF POLICE AND FIRE STATION BUILDING COMMITTEE

After the Annual Town Meeting in May, 1980 in which additional funds were appropriated, a contract was awarded to Ceco Constructors by the Building Committee. Actual construction started in July and occupancy is scheduled for January 1981.

Members of the Committee have worked diligently and successfully to keep the contract within budget.

At this time the Committee would like to thank the police and firemen for their patience during the building alterations.

It is the Committee's hope that the Town will benefit from this addition for many years to come.

Respectfully sybmitted,

ROGER W. HOOD, JR.

Chairman

REPORT OF PROFESSIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The Professional Advisory Committee has met five times this year to offer assistance and direction to the Board of Health and to the Board of Health Nursing Service.

The Study Committee appointed by the Town Moderator to research regionalization of health care services and alternatives has not reached any conclusions and, with Proposition 2½, many uncertainties exist in relation to the provision of community health care.

Throughout each meeting the main topic of discussion was regionalization of nursing services. Regionalization with a larger agency would accomplish shared services between several smaller nursing agencies.

Mrs. Ann McManus, Nursing Supervisor, kept the Committee well informed of the activities of the Nursing Service. A Diabetic Detection Program was held April 10, an Immunization Program, May 1 and a Cancer Screening Program was held on October 22 and 23. There was evidenced a 14% increase in nursing visits, a 30-40% increase in physical therapy and an 8% increase in the use of the Home Health Aides.

The Agency evaluation was completed, emergency policies were reviewed and standards of care were approved.

Respectfully submitted,

GAIL DOUGLAS, R.N.

IN RETIREMENT

ZYGMUNT "ZIGGY" LEWANDOWSKI

Mr. Zygmunt Lewandowski, Landfill Custodian, retired in July 1980, after many years of service to the Town. The Board of Public Works extends to Mr. Lewandowski, on behalf of the Town, its best wishes upon his retirement and its appreciation for his many years of dedicated service.

REPORT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

The Millis Board of Public Works reorganized on May 7, 1980. Mr. Domenic E. D'Eramo was elected Chairman, Mr. Edward Cronin, Clerk and Mr. George DeAngelis, Third Member.

Mr. Zygmunt Lewandowski, "Ziggy", Landfill Custodian, retired in July of 1980, after many years of service to the Town. The Board of Public Works extends to Mr. Lewandowski, its best wishes upon his retirement and its appreciation for his many years of dedicated service.

In responding to the needs of the community, the calendar year 1980 proved, again, to be a productive and very busy one for the Millis Department of Public Works. In addition to the routine duties of our Department and Board (which encompasses Highway, Water, Sewer, Cemetery, Park, Tree, Insect/Pest Control and Sanitary Landfill) and the assistance rendered to various Town departments, boards and committees, the following major projects/items were undertaken:

1. Regulatory signs received through the efforts of the Millis Highway Safety Program were installed throughout Town.
2. The reconstruction of Orchard Street was completed with the installation of guardrail, widening of the road at the Bogastow Brook area and resurfacing of same.
3. The construction of the salt storage shed, which was funded by State monies was completed.
4. The paving of the following areas with Type I Bituminous Concrete, by contract labor was completed during the calendar year 1980: Bow Street, Town Office Parking Area, Dean Street, Monroe Street, Oakview Avenue, portion of Ridge Street and salt storage shed area – same being funded by State aid monies.
5. Various Town roads were oiled/sealed to preserve the life of same by preventing erosion. This item was funded by State monies.
6. Two major water improvement projects were undertaken and completed during 1980 as follows:
    1. Installation and replacement of 1800 feet of 12 inch water main and appurtenances on Orchard Street and 2700 feet of 12 inch water main and appurtenances on Village Street.
    2. The cleaning and lining of water mains and appurtenances as follows: 4300 feet of 8 inch and 10 inch water main on Curve and Union Streets, and 3200 feet of 12 inch water main on Main and Exchange Streets.

The above projects were funded through a low interest loan obtained from the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA).

7. A study to determine how many homes in Millis have water meters was conducted by Town forces.

8. A geohydrological investigation concerning possible additional ground water supplies for the Town of Millis was conducted by our water consultants, Anderson-Nichols, Inc., at the South End Pond Area. Same producing favorable recommendations/results relative to construction of a new water well at this site.

9. A natural fieldstone faced wall was constructed at the veteran's section of Prospect Hill Cemetery – with completion of same prior to Memorial Day of 1980.

10. Roadways at Prospect Hill Cemetery were rebuilt with crushed bank gravel being applied to same.

11. Installation of a chain link fence at the Town park was implemented by contract labor.

12. Under construction, at this writing, is a soccer field located behind the Mobil Station on Main Street – same being completed by Town forces with a minimum of contract labor, and a practice soccer field was graded and seeded on School Department property by Town forces.

The above two projects were undertaken to alleviate the scheduling difficulties caused by the increased membership in the Town's soccer program.

13. The implementation of a Town tree nursery, by Department employees, was undertaken – 100 seedlings were purchased from the Middlesex Conservation District, at a minimum of cost to the Town, for nursery planting. This purchase and project was funded by the Tree Care Program.

    Also funded by the Tree Care Program were the following:

    1. Shrubbery purchased and planted at Prospect Hill Cemetery and the Town's war memorials.
    2. Several trees (flowering, maples and pin oaks) were purchased and planted at various locations throughout Town.
    3. Removal of twenty-seven dead and diseased trees and removal of stumps.

14. In keeping with our ongoing program, sewer trunk lines were flushed on Curve Street, Exchange Street, downtown Main Street, and all lines leading to the schools.

This program was implemented in order to prevent sewer line blockages and eliminate sluggish wastewater flow. The Department hopes to continue this very beneficial program during the upcoming fiscal year.

15. At present, the remaining life of the Town's sanitary landfill is approximately five years in its present state. However, an engineering study is being conducted in order to implement methods to extend the life expectancy of this site.

16. A "Report for the Town of Millis, MA on the Facility Plan for the Wastewater Treatment Facility" was completed in October 1980 by our

wastewater consultant, Anderson-Nichols, Inc. This report endorses that the wastewater discharge from the Town of Millis be diverted to the Charles River Pollution Control District Plant, Medway, MA for treatment. This item will be presented as an article at the '81-'82 Annual Town Meeting.

During the calendar year of 1980 the annual pumpage figure for our three Town water wells was 253,394,000 gallons. We, again, urge all citizens to make the conservation of water of primary importance in their homes and business.

The Board of Public Works would like to take this opportunity to express and extend our appreciation and gratitude to Superintendent Robert Leslie, General Foreman, Edward LaCroix, the employees of the Department of Public Works, our Secretary, Janet Collins, and senior clerk, Susan McKenney, for their outstanding work and constant support throughout the year. Our appreciation and thanks are also extended to the Board of Selectmen, Town Accountant, Town Counsel, Town Treasurer, other Town boards, departments and committees, all citizens of Millis and our families, whose cooperation and help enable us to continue serving the community to the best of our ability.

Respectfully submitted,

DOMENIC E. D'ERAMO

Chairman

REPORT OF RECREATION DEPARTMENT

A new Director of Recreation was hired in October to replace the previous director, Marlane Edwards. The new director works 30 hours per week and has structured definite office hours from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. each weekday except Thursdays.

The philosophy of the Recreation Committee and Director is to provide quality recreational programs to all members of the community. We feel Recreation has a duty to focus on preventative health maintenance within the community. Concentrating on this responsibility, we have hopes to provide the townspeople of Millis with a Life Course. Ideally, the 1½ mile trail with 20 exercise stations along the way is set in an aesthetically-pleasing environment and is accessible to community members of all ages and all degrees of physical fitness. The trail and stations are designed to give a proper warm-up, good workout, and then a cool down period in a self-paced, noncompetitive atmosphere. The Life Course offers youngsters and adults a form of healthful exercise which can be enjoyed for a lifetime. Community involvement can make the Life Course a reality for Millis.

The youth of Millis are always special to the Recreation Department, bringing enthusiasm, interest, and appreciation to all their activities enjoyed through recreation. The Department's philosophy in offering youth programs

is to offer recreational opportunities to all youngsters regardless of ability in a particular area. We advocate development of skills in order to build confidence and self-esteem, along with enjoyment through recreation.

Competition is a valuable part of recreation, helping to teach sportsmanship, team work, and personal achievement; however, it is our objective to keep competition on a low-key level in order to keep sight of our main goals. In recreation all youngsters should feel they are winners through participation, team relationships, activity and involvement.

Successful established youth programs of 1980 were Fun 'N Bowling, Red Sox games, Spring and Fall Soccer, a six week winter Soccer Clinic, and a trip to Rocky Point.

Two new programs initiated this fall were a Youth Road Race for children in grades 3 to 8, and an Instructional Basketball Program which attracted over 80 boys and girls ranging from the 4th to the 8th grade. The basketball program featured a coaches clinic establishing a philosophy for the youth programs along with instruction on skills. The clinic also included a speaker on first-aid, highlighting athletic injuries. The program offers eleven weeks of instructional basketball along with a trip to a Celtics game.

A special word on praise is deserved by all the townspeople who have helped make the Youth Soccer Program highly successful. The program brags of over 300 participants. Hopefully, the new soccer field will be ready for our 1981 season. This would enable our program to develop and improve.

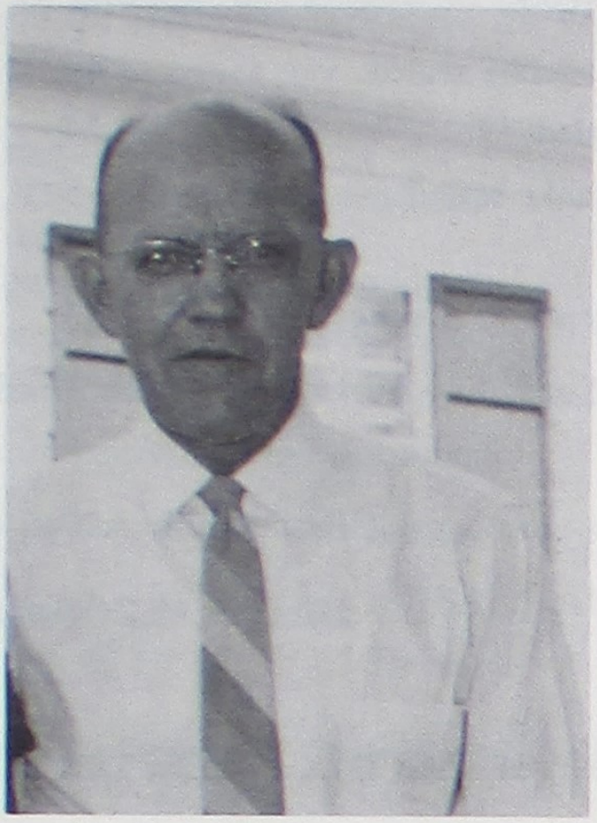
The Recreation Department would like to thank the Selectmen, School Department, Police Department, Fire Department, Library and D.P.W., along with the many volunteers who have joined our Department in demonstrating a strong community effort to provide quality recreational services.

Respectfully submitted,

DIANE L. VIGUE

Director of Recreation.

IN MEMORIAM



WILLIAM J. CHRISTIAN

February 13, 1907 – July 24, 1980

William Christian was sixteen years old when he came to Millis from Norwood, Massachusetts. He spent the remainder of his life in Millis and was an active member of his church and community.

Mr. Christian served on the Board of Registrars for forty years. He was Chairman of the Democratic Town Committee.

The Millis Distinguished Citizen Award was presented to Mr. Christian on September 17, 1976.

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

I hereby submit my report of weights and measures for the year 1980.

Gasoline meters sealed	49
Scales sealed	24
Vehicle tanks sealed	5
	78
Pharmacy scales checked	33

Sealing fees collected and duly turned over to the Town Treasurer were $435.60.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN P. McDONALD

REPORT OF THE TAX COLLECTOR

Following is the report of your Tax Collector for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1980.

Taxes Collected:

Real Estate	$3,286,164.45
Real Estate in Tax Tltle	5,075.02
Personal Property	138,293.36
Motor Vehicle Excise	514,882.73
Total Collected	$3,944,415.56

Tax Balances Outstanding July 1, 1980:

Real Estate	$ 165,313.25
Personal Property	3,138.63
Motor Vehicle Excise	133,364.43
Total Outstanding	$ 301,816.31

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND C. NORMANDIN

Tax Collector

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

The following is the treasurer's report for the year ending December 31, 1980:

Balance of library trust funds:	
Dr. & Mrs. Chas. Wesley Emerson fund	$ 850.71
George W. Woolvett fund	7,354.07
Balance of Millis 100 Anniversary fund	2,674.29
Balance of Conservation Commission fund	8,741.28
Balance of Tricentennial fund	118.71

(All deposited in interest-bearing accounts)

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD AULENBACK

Treasurer

The following is a summary of the insurance policies of the Town as of December 31, 1980:

TYPE OF POLICY	COMPANY	POLICY NO.	EXPIRATION
Package policy	Aetna Insurance Co.	CPP-402959	7/1/81
Public Official Liability	Forum Insurance	R80-23106	10/16/81
Ambulance Attendants Errors & Omission	Jefferson Insurance	AJL-42710	7/1/81
Workers Compensation	Aetna Insurance	WC52-53-12	7/1/81
Umbrella Liability	Aetna Insurance	UL-5313-72	7/1/81
Automobile	Aetna Insurance	CG-0098-28	7/1/81
Sports	Reliance Standard Life	SAC-14106	8/24/81
Special Accident Fire	Commercial Insurance	FD-5537	9/10/81
Special Accident Police	Commercial Insurance	GAJ-4103	9/10/81
Police Professional Liability	Jefferson Insurance	L-107749	9/11/81
Nurses Equipment Floater	Aetna Insurance	21IMSP104962FCA	3/2/81

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD AULENBACK

Treasurer

REPORT OF THE VETERANS' AGENT

I herewith submit my report as Veterans' Agent and Director of Veterans' Services for the year ending December 31, 1981.

CALENDAR YEAR

EXPENDITURES

Ordinary	$6,604.00	
Fuel	225.00	
Physicians	174.40	
Insurance	339.00	$7,342.40
State Share	$3,603.45	
Town Share	3,738.95	$7,342.40
ADMINISTRATION		$2,774.00

FISCAL YEAR (7/1/80 - 6/30/81)

APPROPRIATION		$32,750.00
Expended	$ 2,800.00	
Available	29,950.00	$32,750.00
ADMINISTRATION		$ 2,848.00
Expended	$ 1,424.00	
Available	1,424.00	$ 2,848.00

Respectfully submitted,

PHILIP J. GAVIN, JR.

Veterans Agent

REPORT OF 128 WEST RESOURCE RECOVERY COUNCIL

Millis continues as an active member of the 128 West Resource Recovery Council, a voluntary association of communities in the central section of eastern Massachusetts whose objective is to establish a cooperative solid waste disposal and resource recovery system.

The negotiating committee of the 128 WRRC, with the assistance of the Massachusetts Bureau of Solid Waste Disposal (MBSWD) and consultants are finalizing a contract with Wheelabrator-Frye for the design, construction, and operation of a regional processing facility. Present plans include making copies of the agreed upon contract available to officials of the member municipalities for their consideration and approval early in 1981.

In 1980 the people of Stoughton voted to reject Stoughton as a site for the solid waste disposal and recovery system. As a result Plainville has become the primary site for the facility.

In October 1980 Millis established a committee to evaluate present landfill costs and transfer-haul operational costs to a facility in Plainville. We hope to place an article in the warrant of the 1981 Annual Town Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

RUSSELL P. CHAMBERLAIN

Member

REPORT OF THE MILLIS SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Regular meetings of the School Committee are held in the Middle-High School faculty room on the first and third Tuesday of each month.

The Office of the Superintendent of Schools which is located in the Middle-High School building is open from 7:45 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. daily, exclusive of holidays, Monday through Friday. The telephone number is 376-2934.

The members of the School Committee met as a corporate body, with the Superintendent of Schools, thirty times at regularly scheduled meetings for the purpose of conducting school business. In addition, sub-committees met on more than thirty occasions on matters that pertained to negotiations, finances, or discipline. The schedule of a School Committee member is a busy one.

At the annual election in May, Robert Healy was elected to a three year term. Gordon Healy was elected by the High School student body to serve as the School Committee Student Representative, and the Millis Teachers' Association appointed Dorothy Howley and Richard Keen to represent the Teachers' Association at School Committee Meetings.

Following the Town election, the School Committee organized as follows: Walter A. Alessi, re-elected Chairperson; Edna M. Neville, re-elected Secretary; Thomas J. Burke, Jr., Associate Member; Robert Healey, Associate Member; and Patricia M. Sjogren Associate Member.

Early in May, Thomas J. Burke, Jr. resigned for personal reasons, thus creating a vacancy on the Board. In accordance with the law, the School Committee and the Selectmen met and appointed Dr. Hamed El-Bisi to fill the vacancy until the next annual election. Dr. El-Bisi is currently serving as an Associate Member of the School Committee.

The members of the School Committee continued to expend much energy in their deliberations to finalize a budget that is commensurate with the needs of the community. In addition to those issues, the School has had to address itself to the issue of Proposition 2½ which is expected to have an impact on the budget of the next fiscal year. In anticipation of expected budget cuts, the Committee has developed an opinion survey which should reflect the values and priorities of the citizenry in relation to Educational costs and programs. It should be noted that the survey will be released in January and some indication of the priorities of the community will emerge, but not until after the deadline for this report is required. We urge you, therefore, to look for the results in a release via a special publication.

The School Committee continues to devote considerable time and energy in policy matters that relate to curriculum, the operation and maintenance of the plants, negotiations, legislative mandates, and funds from the federal government.

Mention should also be made of the pride that the School Committee, as well as the community, have in the student achievements, particularly this past year!

During the Year of the Child, for example, the staff was recognized for its planned programs involving children from the Clyde Brown School (K-2) by the Mass. Teachers Association. The High School Band received several awards for its outstanding performances. Among them are: Jazz Ensemble (4 yrs. District Champion, New England Divisional Champion and State Champions); Concert Band (1st Place in Division III of the Mass. Instrumental Conductors Association). The athletic teams afforded the Town considerable gratification for their accomplishments. The varsity cheerleaders were first in the competition in the Tri-Valley League cheerleading competition; the track team won the Class C State Title; the football team won the Tri-Valley League football competition, Division IV State Champions and Super Bowl Champions. The baseball team qualified for the state baseball tournament.

Collective bargaining and arbitration issues are also items that must be addressed annually. This year agreements were reached with the following associations: Food Services (2 years), Secretaries (3 years), Bus Drivers (1 year), Administrators (3 years), Custodians (2 years). The Teachers Association Agreement must be re-negotiated in preparation for the next school year.

Grievances and arbitration cases have evolved around issues related to maternity leaves, seniority, early retirement, and compensation for vacation.

The Committee has organized its meetings to allow time for selected departments to present and apprise the Committee members of current trends and developments in the specific curriculum areas. This year, reports were presented in foreign language, science, mathematics, social studies, and the special education program of the Tri-Valley Collaborative.

Program grants through federally funded programs are still available and the school system has benefitted from those funds. Allocation of funds which would not normally be appropriated have been forwarded to the schools as a result of concerted efforts by staff members. Among the fully funded programs are:

Title I ($27,241) – Provides for an increase in services in mathematics and reading at the K-8 levels.

Title IV-B ($43,800) – This fully funded project has enabled the school department to appoint a therapeutic teacher, a full-time adaptive physical education teacher, a first grade aide, a kindergarten aide, some secretarial assistance and some instructional materials, as well as provisions for an evaluation of the programs offered.

P.L. 94-482 ($6,337) – This program focused on occupational programs enabling the school system to provide additional consumer services. This year the focus is on the business education program, providing for expanded computer education services.

The School Committee has carefully examined its maintenance program and has taken steps to accelerate its energy saving plans. The Committee has had installed a new expansion tank for the boiler system at the Memorial School; a new hot water tank at the Clyde Brown School; a computer Building Operations Service System at the Middle-High School; and has reduced Kilowatt consumption in all buildings.

In addition, it has worked cooperatively with the Board of Selectmen and the Board of Public Works in an attempt to alleviate play field needs for the youth of the community. The School Committee has granted permission for the reconstruction of a section of land beyond the football practice field, approximately 60′ x 100′, to be used for field hockey, youth soccer, and any other recreational uses as deemed feasible by the School Committee. Also, some school land in the area of the Clyde Brown School is being used as part of a regulation size soccer field on land recently purchased by the Town.

The Committee has granted the Little League Officials permission to extend the fence on the school-owned Little League field. The field is maintained by the personnel of Little League.

Establishing school policy is a matter of deep concern to each School Committee member. This year it focused on several matters. Among them are:

After the prayer law was ruled unconstitutional, the moment of silent meditation policy was implemented.

School lunch costs were increased to meet the escalating food prices.

Driver Education classroom and behind-the-wheel fees were increased.

Stipends for substitute teachers were increased.

Class size at the high school was re-examined.

The transportation of students to school was revised.

Fees for Adult Education courses were increased.

Costs for transporting Vocational Education students beyond secondary education programs were eliminated.

It should be noted that Mary Barrett announced her retirement effective in June, 1980 after forty years of devoted and dedicated service to the youth of the community. A separate section relative to her retirement has been prepared for your information.

The Committee also acknowledges Frank Keaney for his nine years of service as a School Committee member. Mr. Keaney decided not to run for reelection.

In closing, the Committee wishes to extend its thanks to the Superintendent of Schools, the Administrators and staff members, Mrs. Oschman, the Selectmen and the Finance Committee for their untiring efforts in the interest of the youth of the community.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER A. ALESSI
Chairperson

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Herewith is presented my sixth annual report as Superintendent of Schools. It is the eighty-ninth report in a series of school reports which began in 1892.

The one issue which has preoccupied the citizens of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, is the Referendum Question Number 2, commonly referred to as Proposition 2½, the Tax Limitation Act. The passage requires the amendment of a number of Massachusetts statutes. The ramifications of Proposition 2½, as it relates to education in the Millis Public Schools, is the amendment to the Massachusetts General Law chapter 71 section 34 which provides for the abolition of the fiscal autonomy of School Committees.

Many questions are raised about the new law, but since the property tax provisions have not yet been determined at this writing, the full impact of Proposition 2½ will not be felt until communities begin planning the budget for fiscal year 1982. Decisions must be focused on issues such as labor relations, extra curricular activities, class size, special education and other mandated expenditures, transportation, academic programs and school-related services.

The Massachusetts Department of Education has adopted the "Policy on Basic Skills Improvement." The purpose of this regulation is to assist students in achieving mastery of basic skills prior to high school graduation through the provision of appropriate curriculum, instruction and evaluation.

The development of the Basic Skills Improvement Plan for the Millis Public Schools was developed through a series of meetings with Administrators, Coordinators, Chairpersons, Department Heads, teachers and members of the community. The basic skills areas to be tested are mathematics, reading and writing in grades 3, 5 and 8. Specific objectives have been established, and the plans will be completed during the current school year.

The Administration and staff recognized the need for curriculum and staff development. Guidelines were prepared which provided the opportunity for any teacher or group of teachers wishing to pursue a curriculum writing project to develop a statement of need to be presented to a review panel for approval. The School Committee approved three curriculum writing proposals.

The first of the proposals is called the Language and Learning Center, a program which has been developed from an expressed need to service better special needs children in grades K-2. It has enabled the school department to provide a program for these children in their own school community environment rather than transport them to another town at considerable expense.

The second of the curriculum projects prepared was a math readiness program designed primarily to provide teachers in grades K-2 with a form which may be used as a guide in planning daily lessons. It also presents to all members of the professional staff an overview of the complete early elementary mathematics program.

The third project was the development of a Middle School Music & Media Curriculum designed and structured to include units, goals, student achievement objectives, suggested activities, source materials, and evaluation of the program in each of the Middle School grades 6, 7 and 8.

Curriculum projects completed during the school year included: Health Curriculum programs for grades 3, 4 and 5 in the Memorial School and grade 7 in the Middle School; an Elementary Science Curriculum program for grades K-5; and, from the Tri-Valley Collaborative for special education students, a guide to social skills development.

In conuunction with the Department of Mental Health, funds have been made available to develop a Drug & Alcohol Education Training Program for teachers in the Millis Public Schools. Separate twelve-week courses at 2½ hours per session have been prepared for elementary and secondary teachers on the techniques of dealing adequately with the type of drugs and alcohol. More than thirty-five teachers are pursuing the courses.

Although a listing of the Goals and Objectives for this school year as prepared by the Administration and Staff, would be too lengthy to insert in an annual report, mention should be made of the efforts of the Administration and the Staff to achieve those goals before the end of the school year. Among them are: developing and expanding the gifted program at Clyde Brown School; promoting and supporting activities which are conducted at the Memorial School; completing the testing and recommending remediation in the basic skills of reading, mathematics and writing; planning a pre-vocational program focusing on a group of 15-20 high risk students operating a school-based business enterprise at the Middle School; developing an in-service training program for the staff on procedures for in-house computer attendance, grade reporting and scheduling on the high school level, and developing a public relations brochure for parents K-8 in the area of guidance and counselling.

Coordinators play a very important role in the development of a sequential and articulated program for the system K-12. Excerpts from some of the reports are as follows:

Art – The Art department has enhanced its program with the addition of an artistically gifted and talented program in the Clyde Brown and Middle Schools. A "Student of the Week" program has been initiated at the Middle School. On the High School level, because of an increasing number of art majors, a portfolio program has been developed.

Reading – On the High School level, a Reading laboratory system is being proposed under a Title IV-B federal grant. Offerings will include a basic skills program and an advanced section for college bound students. The Middle School schedule will be revised to provide more time and individual instruction for seventh grade students. A Reading-English committee has been formed to integrate the two subjects in grades 7 and 8.

Mathematics – Emphasis this year has been on formulating the Basic Improvement Plan . . . During the year a unified vocabulary of math terms has been stressed . . . One period a week was devoted to college board review for those students planning to take the examinations. . . There is a need to expand the computer science program to accommodate an increased number of students interested in computers. Computer science courses should be made available to all under classmen and eventually to Middle School students . . . More than 80% of the students are enrolled in mathematics elective courses.

Music – The High School Band made its first "air-trip" to Disney World in Orlando, Florida . . . The inclusion of a "Suzuki violin" course was introduced in January . . . The grade 6 Band performed at Scituate in one of the first Elementary School Festivals to be held in the area . . . Fourth and fifth grade concerts were presented last spring . . . More than 562 students participated in a performance group this year.

Physical Education – Since the reorganization of the High School and Middle School, the Physical Education programs have been functioning very smoothly. All classes are conducted in the gymnasium while the exercise room is used exclusively for weight training and exercise programs. This arrangement enables the staff to devote time to skill development with the Middle School students and improvement is most noticeable. . . . The entire Physical Education staff is now qualified to screen students for scoliosis.

Audio Visual – The accomplishments have been broadened to include a systematic card file for video tapes, a studio production for Middle and High School students, and a computerized inventory format.

The School Department has been preparing for Cable T.V. The A.V. Coordinator is currently serving on a Town Committee to study the installation of Cable T.V. in the community. The fruition of such a plan will enable the school system to interlock by cable loops which could then afford the community more educational programming via in-house productions in the years ahead.

School maintenance and repairs continue to be a concern to the staff. All schools require considerable expenditures for plumbing, wiring, glass repairs, lighting and draperies. In addition, all are aware of the need for energy conservation. Considerable savings in expenditures have been realized because of the cooperative efforts of the staff.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation to the members of the School Committee for their direction and dedication. Their decisions have always been in the best interest of the young people. I also wish to give recognition to all staff members, and to the town officials for their cooperation and suggestions.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM A. VELLANTE

Superintendent

Report of Pupil Personnel Services Director – 1980

It is with pleasure that I submit my sixth annual report to the citizens of Millis which will include some general comments on the Guidance and Counseling, Special Education and Health Services Departments from January to December 1980.

The Pupil Personnel Services Department continues to provide a wide range of ancillary services to the school department with support personnel assigned to all buildings. A continued effort is being made to meet the mandates of Chapter 766 and provide quality special education services to our students within the buildings and to our students who attend specialized programs outside the confines of the school buildings.

Over the past year I have seen a tremendous need for the continued maintenance of effort in the area of counseling services for all students. It is without question that the societal changes we see all around us such as, the changes in family life and varied life styles have had a great impact on public education. We now deal with students from extremely diverse backgrounds and circumstances that far surpass what schools were accustomed to dealing with even a few short years ago. The schools have been called a microcosm of society and the challenges ahead of us in the 80's are evident to all.

In the past year our department has spent a considerable amount of time assisting with the school reorganization and improving our services within the context of the new building alignment. Much time has been spent working with staff in order to facilitate learning in whatever way possible.

The Pupil Personnel Services Department has also emphasized a working relationship with other agencies such as; The Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission, The Department of Social Services, The Division of Youth Services, The Department of Public Health, The Department of Mental Health, The Wrentham District Court and The Millis Police Department. This list of collaborating agencies in and of itself may give you some understanding of the complexity of problems that our youth are dealing with. The schools are, in fact, the "least common denominator" in terms of dealing with these diverse problems simply because all youth attend school and outside difficulties inevitably affect school performance.

An independent evaluation of services was conducted this past year and the results were very favorable. Follow-up discussions and planning is being undertaken to strengthen our programs for the future.

As in the past, federal grants have been written and federal money has allowed for program development in all of the buildings. Over the past three years, well over $100,000 has been accessed and close to $50,000 will be available next year. I am particularly pleased with the success of the alternative first grade program at the Clyde Brown School which was made possible in part by a teacher aide funded by federal special education dollars. Also, the pilot Language and Learning Center at the Clyde Brown School which provides for

intensive educational and language remediation for selected students is a program that I believe will have lasting educational benefits for its participants.

In summation, the Pupil Personnel Services Department will continue to assess and further develop supportive services programs to meet the needs of our varied student population in an effort to meet the individual needs of each student.

This year I would especially like to thank Mary Barrett for her years of effort on behalf of her students and wish her well in her retirement. Also, I thank the School Committee, Superintendent of Schools, building principals, teachers, parents, secretaries and staff for their support over the last year.

Sincerely,

RICHARD F. CASS

Director of Pupil Personnel Services

REPORT OF THE HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

This is my sixth annual report to the Town of Millis.

The enrollment for the current school year as of October 1, 1980, for grades 9 through 12 is 450. This reflects a decrease of 28 students at the high school level from a year ago.

In our first full year as a separate high school and middle school, many of the concerns regarding housing have been laid to rest. Everything is of a very positive nature, and there is little or no interaction between high school and middle school students.

Representatives from the community, staff, student council, and the administration met weekly to formulate a new student handbook for the high school. This effort coupled with a school committee task force to review discipline codes and eligibility requirements led to acceptance of the revised student handbook this Fall.

Basic skills minimum competency testing is being implemented for the first time in Millis and tests will be administered to eighth graders in the Spring of 1981. Testing during this first year will take place in the areas of reading, writing and mathematics. In order to establish a basis for the local minimum standard, a sample exam was administered this Spring in the areas of writing and mathematics. In addition to the testing, remediation is planned for those students who do not meet standards.

A planned teacher/student advisory program received a minor setback when a grant for consultant funds was deferred until next year due to a lack of available funds. The grant request shall be re-submitted in May of 1981 for funding.

Through the efforts of Mr. Michael Cangi, computer science teacher, and Mrs. Alice O'Regan, business department head, a project entitled "Project Wide Range Technology" was submitted to the Division of Occupational Education for funding under P.L. 94-482. The project received approval as a multi-year program and increases our computer science facility to expand its teaching capability by fifty percent. This equipment also provides us the capability of doing our own scheduling, grade reporting, and attendance in-house, thereby increasing our efficiency in these areas as well as eliminating those monies being expended for an outside service. The major goal of the project, however, is to provide students a full range of skill building in the business and computer science areas spanning entry level skills to programming skills as they involve computer accounting, word processing, etc.

The American Field Service Foreign Exchange program continues to fluorish as we welcomed our third exchange student to Millis this summer. The student, Miss Nadine Blumberg, is living with her American parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Coito and family of Farm Street in Millis. This year, for the first time, AFS has placed two Millis students in foreign countries. They are: Karen Paur, daughter of Mrs. Virginia Paur of Exchange Street and Terrence Otis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Otis of Dover Road.

Two Millis High School athletic teams excelled this past year, gaining state-wide recognition as well as numerous local awards. During the Spring of 1980, the Millis track team posted a 6 wins and 1 loss record in the Tri-Valley League. They went on to defeat Westwood in the state competition, the only school they had lost to during the regular season and eventually won the State Class "C" Championship. Some of the honors they received are:

James Caddell set a conference record in the long jump.
John Sycamore set a conference record in the two mile.
Robert Baldini set a conference record in the pole vault.
The relay team set a conference meet record in the 4 x 440 relays
Placed 9 players on the Tri-Valley League All Stars
Placed 5 players on the Milford Daily News All Stars

The 1980 school year ended on a very pleasant note. It saw the entire community rally behind its young people through an overwhelming show of support for the Millis Mohawks' football team as they completed a perfect season of 10 wins and no losses. As a result, the team placed first in points in the Eastern Massachusetts Division IV ratings and received its first invitation to a Super Bowl. The Mohawks went on to win the Super Bowl by defeating the second ranked Wareham Vikings at Boston College's Alumni Stadium on December 6, 1980. Besides being the Super Bowl Champions, the Mohawks earned the following:

1980 Tri-Valley League champions
Scored a total of 385 points on offense
Gave up only 40 points on defense
Placed 14 players on the Tri-Valley All Star Team
Placed 8 players on the Milford Daily News All Stars
Placed 3 players on the All State Division IV Team
James Caddell was selected to the Globe All Scholastic Team.

In addition, Head Coach Ernie Richards was selected as Division IV "Coach of the Year" and was further honored by being selected as a coach in the annual Shriners game.

In conclusion, I would like to express my appreciation to the School Committee, the Superintendent, the Staff, and the Student Body whose cooperation has made it possible for Millis High School to experience another successful year.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL A. BRUNELLE

REPORT OF THE MIDDLE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

My fifth annual report to the citizens of Millis will include information reported to me by our coordinators, department chairpersons, department heads, and teachers. The most significant issue is the continuing development of the Middle School, now in its second year.

This year we established ten school goals. These goals include: Continuing a team teaching and planning process at each of the grade levels; developing and implementing at least two interdisciplinary units at each of the grade levels; initiating after school intramural activities and clubs; developing an eighth grade health program which would be continuous with the existing sixth and seventh grade health programs working towards a more coordinated reading and English programs; developing a gifted and talented program for middle school students; possibly through a regional approach; exploring a career education program through in-service programs for the faculty; implementing a school-community exhibition during the spring; planning a pre-vocational program for high risk students who would operate a school-based business enterprise; exposing sixth graders to Spanish and French cultures; and having sixth grade teachers co-head the group guidance sessions.

A highlight during 1980 was the week spent by 92 of our sixth graders at the Cape Cod Outdoor Center. Many students had their first experience in residing away from home and exploring the wonders of nature in the out-of-doors. Many interpersonal relationships were enhanced among the students, and between student and teachers who chaperoned the week long program. We expect about 50 eighth graders to do a field study and problem solving approach to solving environmental problems in Oceanwood Park, Maine in the spring.

Our music program continues to be a great source of pride. The sixth grade and seventh and eighth grade bands will display their talents along with the boys' and girls' chorus at a special holiday performance. Traditionally, we will present our annual spring concert and annual middle school play production in the spring. Physical education and art continue to be real favorites with our students. This year we initiated an after school intramural basketball program, art program, and volleyball program. Emphasis in skill development in both

competitive and non-competitive sports continues. Our art program guides students towards developing creative ideas and carrying them out through individual projects.

The cultural/enrichment program continues to be a highlight of our students' week. Activities include C.P.R., Mass Production Project; Where to Travel; Social Etiquette, Great Books, math help; weight watchers; audio visual student aides; newspaper; dance; composition workshop; dramatics; and knitting. All students have choices. Activities are changed on a quarterly basis.

Our special education program continues to improve in identifying and treating special needs of our students which include learning disabilities, counseling, and speech therapy. Special needs teachers are working even more closely with classroom teachers as a result of our team teaching structure. Special needs students are being scheduled in a more streamlined fashion so that their needs are being met by fewer specialists who know the individual child better. Our Title I reading and math remedial specialists continue to provide excellent individual and small group instruction to those students who need that extra attention.

In closing, I wish to express my gratitude to the School Committee, Superintendent, all personnel, and to the parents, students, and community members for their cooperation, commitment and support.

Respectfully submitted,

LAURENCE W. ARONSTEIN, Ed.D.
Principal, Middle School

REPORT OF THE MEMORIAL SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

This is my first report as principal of the Memorial School. I inherited a very healthy school with an experienced staff, sound on-going programs and an enthusiastic student body.

This is the second full year that grades three, four and five have been housed in the Memorial School. Each grade level has a communication arts block during which reading, spelling and language are taught, and a period each day for mathematics. We are in the second year of a new science program and are implementing a new health curriculum. During some of our in-service days we will be up-dating the social studies course of study in each grade level with particular emphasis on map and globe skills and current events. Group guidance is in its second year; we are particularly pleased with this program thus far.

The response of the Parent Advisory Council has been most encouraging. To date it has been decided to co-sponsor with the Title I Parent Advisory Council, a speaker for an evening date in January or February. The topic will be reading and what a parent can do to help his or her child. A Book Fair has

been set for the week of February 2nd. The proceeds from the Fair will be used to bring in a cultural program for the students. The enrichment activities, begun last year, should be expanded during this school year with additional offsprings to the five taught last year. We are looking for volunteers in the community who are interested in working in an area of interest with a select, small group of students.

Plans formulated during the 1979-1980 school year for the basic skills testing or competency testing program are being implemented. Tests in reading, mathematics and writing have been administered to third and fifth graders and the teaching staff is in the process of evaluating the results and establishing minimum standards for each of the three disciplines mentioned. Results of the competency tests will be reported to the community. In addition, a plan for the administration and evaluation of a test in listening skills for the third and fifth grades will be formulated by the professional staff.

Our monthly in-service programs include work in nutrition, reading, social studies, basic skills and establishing a building resource area for audio-visual and supplementary materials.

I wish to express my appreciation to Mr. Vellante and the Millis School Committee for their support.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS M. DEFFLEY

Principal

REPORT OF THE CLYDE F. BROWN SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

An area of concern to the local taxpayer has been the student enrollment in the local school system. Although many city systems are in the process of closing school buildings, the Millis enrollment appears to be closely following the national trend toward a slight increase in the birth rate.

This year the kindergarten class is the largest in many years with a total of 130 students. The first grade has a total of 101, and the second grade has 96 for a grand total of 325, only three students less than in the previous year.

For a school to remain vibrant and meet the needs of the students, it must continually review and update each course of study. This year, five members of the Clyde Brown staff drafted a K-2 math curriculum during the summer months. Mrs. Catherine Travers represented kindergarten, Mrs. Dorothy Howley and Mrs. Mary Jane Simpson represented grade one, Mrs. Ruth Swanson and Mrs. Susanne Smith represented grade two. This new curriculum was designed to provide teachers with a guide to create daily lesson plans as well as to correlate math with music, science and nutrition. A greater stress was placed on metrics. Included in the curriculum were many pages of resources, alternative instructional media, numerous outlines for math games, and a sequence

of study. The committee plans to continually update materials, activities and task cards and continue the math curriculum as an ongoing project of the Clyde F. Brown staff.

All first and second grade teachers have been involved in a six session course under the guidance of Mr. Andrew Salerno, science coordinator for the Millis schools. This course is providing the teachers with a greater understanding and better expertise for the present "Hands On" approach to science instruction including the use of SCIS materials, such as interaction systems using pulleys, chemicals, electricity, and experiments with air and liquids.

The Clyde Brown School continues with its educational and informative programs. Safety is an important adjunct to the students' total education. This is stressed through the safety unit of study along with filmstrip presentations by Officer Baima, school safety officer, on subjects such as bus safety, winter sports safety, and spring/summer swimming safety. Each first grade classroom visits the fire station during National Fire Safety Week. Other programs include a Kindergarten Orientation in September, Open House for first and second grades and a separate Open House for parents of kindergarten students, Lunch with Parents for first graders, and a Kindergarten Awareness Program in the spring for the parents of future kindergarten pupils.

Field trips are a prime source of new experiences for the primary students and provide a broader knowledge of the local area with trips to the Millis Public Library, McDonald's, Dowse Apple Farm, Milford Hospital, Natick Planetarium, Millborn Farm, Norfolk Agricultural School and a dentist's office.

For several years we have had an academically talented program for first and second graders in order to provide these students with opportunities to foster creativity and productive thinking through enrichment projects. This year, we implemented an art class and a choral group for students inclined in these directions. The Junior Great Books Reading and Discussion Program at the Series II level was presented twice during the school year for advanced second grade readers. Mrs. Levy, our reading specialist, was discussion leader for this program of thirty pupils.

Telezonia is a short course of study to acquaint the pupils in the proper use of the telephone. The materials are loaned to the school by New England Telephone Company and make it possible to simulate real dialing situations wherein children learn to initiate calls, answer the phone correctly and politely, and communicate in an emergency. A film demonstrates several emergency situations and illustrates correct telephoning procedures.

Parent volunteers continue to carry out many needed functions at the school. They chaperone field trips, staff the CFB library making it a practical, functional, motivating educational tool, aid the teachers in classrooms and provide refreshments for holiday parties. "Helping Hands" is also a parent volunteer program, which provides an emergency stop for pupils on their way to and from school. Our School Book Fair, which is becoming an annual event, is staffed by volunteers. The CFB Parent Advisory Council sponsored a get-acquainted tea for parents and teachers in the Fall.

In May, the Clyde Brown staff received a very significant award along with individual certificates of recognition from the Massachusetts Teachers Association. In honor of "The International Year of the Child Fair," which we presented last year, Mrs. Carol Bivans, Mrs. Mary March, and Mrs. Mary Alice Scott accepted the award from Rep. Margaret Heckler at a presentation dinner in Boston. The plaque reads, "In recognition of the outstanding contribution to understanding among all peoples."

The month of May was designated by Gov. King as "Family Month." During that time, three first grade teachers, Mrs. Dorothy Howley, Mrs. Mary Jane Simpson, and Mrs. Jane Walker were awarded certificates for honoring "Save the Child Day" on May first by presenting May baskets and a songfest program to the members of Kennedy Terrace. Other celebrations honoring Family Month were a "Picnic in the Park" for CFB pupils, their parents and relatives, and an art project entitled "Love the Family."

The playground materials installed two years ago continue to be of great interest to the children during recess, occasional physical education periods, and after school. These wooden structures remain in excellent condition and have not required any maintenance at all.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the members of the School Committee, Mr. Vellante, a hard working and cooperative staff, and the many parents who aided in making the school year so enriching and successful for our students.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND T. LANTHIER

Principal

MILLIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS CALENDAR
1980 - 1982

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Registration – New students	August 27, 28
Orientation – New teachers	August 27
Labor Day	September 1
General Teachers Meeting	September 2
Grades 1-12 + Special Class in regular session	September 3
Kindergarten classes in session	September 8
Columbus Day	October 13
Norfolk County Teachers Convention	October 29
Thanksgiving Recess – schools close at noon	November 26
School reopens	December 1
Christmas Recess-schools close at regular session	December 19

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School reopen	January 5
Winter Recess - schools close at end of regular session	February 13
Schools reopen	February 23
Spring Recess - schools close at regular session	April 16
Good Friday	April 17
Schools reopen	April 27
Memorial Day	May 25
Class Day (Tentative)	June 4
Graduation (Tentative)	June 4
Tentative Closing date	June 19

NO SCHOOL SIGNAL

The fire whistle will be sounded two - two, three times, at 6:45 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. which means no school, all schools, all day.

The same signal (2 - 2) at 11:00 a.m. means cancellation of afternoon Kindergarten classes. Radio stations WBZ Boston, WKOX Framingham, WEEI Boston, WJMQ Norfolk, plus WCVB-TV - 5 television station will carry these announcements.

DISTRIBUTION OF MINORS

			5 yrs. or over and under 7	7 years or over and under 16
1.	(a)	Boys	126	522
	(b)	Girls	93	501
			219	1023
2.	(a)	In public day school membership	212	931
	(b)	In vocational school membership	0	35
	(c)	In state or county institutions or special schools	5	22
	(d)	In private (non-public) schools	2	35
	(e)	Not in any school	0	0
			219	1023

MILLIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Grade Population as per School Registers October 1, 1980.

ELEMENTARY

	Grade	Boys	Girls	No. in Rooms	Grade
Barbara Hoffman	KA/AM	12	11	23	
	KA/PM	11	9	20	
Catherine Travers	KB/AM	15	7	22	
	KB/PM	12	10	22	
Carol Noon	KC/AM	13	10	23	
	KC/PM	13	5	18	128
Dorothy Howley	1A	10	5	15	
Mary Jane Simpson	1B	11	10	21	
Jane Walker	1C	11	11	22	
Christine White	1D	10	10	20	
Margaret Bergen	1E	10	11	21	99
Elena Vine	2A	11	10	21	
Kathlien Pruyn	2B	13	12	25	
Dorothy Esperian	2C	13	10	23	
Ruth Swanson	2D	10	13	23	92
Bonnie Bradford	3A	9	12	21	
Margaret Levasseur	3B	11	8	19	
Carolyn Schaffer	3C	9	11	20	
Lois Cook	3D	10	9	19	
Ann Roskey	3E	8	10	18	97
Mary Pierce	4A	15	6	21	
Donna Collins	4B	12	9	21	
Joyce Tamuleviz	4C	11	10	21	
V. Gayle Kendall	4D	14	8	22	
Robert Mannering	4E	11	10	21	106
George Ford	5A	15	7	22	
Glennis Carvalho	5B	12	10	22	
Jane Fine	5C	13	10	23	
William Lynch	5D	13	10	23	
Mary Ann Clancy	5E	12	10	22	112
		350	284	634	634

MIDDLE SCHOOL
MILLIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Grade Population as per School Registers October 1, 1980

	Grade Room	Boys	Girls	No. in Rooms	Grade
Robert Cronin	6-210	10	12	22	
Virginia Paur	6-206	13	9	22	
Carole Martin	6-204	8	14	22	
Carolyn Dushku	6-208	10	12	22	
John Dushku	6-112	13	9	22	110
David Sperandio	7-114	13	10	23	
John Dodge	7-220	16	11	27	
Marilyn Dewar	7-222	15	9	24	
Cynthia Normandin	7-224	11	10	21	
Susan Clifford	7-214	13	7	20	115
Peter Vigue	8-116	10	11	21	
Mary Lou McKay	8-212	10	11	21	
Barbara Moan	8-226	8	12	20	
Kathleen Powers	8-211	9	13	22	
Sharon Efstathiou	8-209	11	11	22	106
Julianne Noonan	Sp. Cl.	4		4	4
		174	161	335	335

HIGH SCHOOL

	Grade Room	Boys	Girls	No. in Rooms	Grade
Nancy Levesque	9-106	12	12	24	
Frank Glass	9-108	13	13	26	
Laurence Magner	9-127	11	17	28	
Kathleen Morrill	9-129	10	15	25	103
Saundra Gourley	10-213	13	13	26	
Frederick Hoffman	10-215	11	12	23	
Francis Flanagan	10-217	16	6	22	
Brian Tuohey	10-219	8	13	21	
Albert Andrews	10-221	8	13	21	113
Elizabeth Joyce	11-124	9	14	23	
Dorothy O'Donnell	11-126	10	13	23	
Richard Keen	11-131	19	8	27	
William Dooling	11-133	11	12	23	
James Fair	11-135	8	13	21	
Patricia Browne	12-128	11	14	25	
Norman Valois	12-232	13	11	24	
Rebecca Russ	12-230	10	14	24	
Jean Keddy	12-234	14	10	24	
William Williams	12-238	9	11	20	117
		216	234	450	450

MILLIS HIGH SCHOOL TRACK TEAM – CLASS C STATE CHAMPIONS – JUNE 1980

MILLIS HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM – TRI-VALLEY LEAGUE CHAMPIONS
SUPER BOWL – DIVISION 4 CHAMPIONS 1980

MARY M. BARRETT

1940 - 1980

The School Committee, on behalf of the citizens of Millis, the Administration and Staff, and the students of Millis High School, extends a sincere and warm appreciation to Mary M. Barrett for her 40 years of conscientious and dedicated services to the youth of Millis.

Mary began her career as a business teacher. Many of her students have been successful secretaries.

In later years, Mary concentrated her efforts in the area of guidance and counseling. She was appointed Head Counselor in 1975. It was during her years of services as a counselor that she was able to reach a broader spectrum of the student body. She not only located colleges for students but was also instrumental in job placements for students who were not interested in pursuing a higher education.

Everyone wishes Mary a life of health, relaxation and happiness in her retirement.

NEW SCHOOL PERSONNEL FOR 1980-1981

SCHOOL	ASSIGNMENT	NAME	NO. YRS. EXP.	EDUCATION
Middle	Resource Teacher	Jo Ann Carino	5	BA Goddard College MA Lesley College
Middle	Developmental Reading	Susan Clifford	1	BS Lesley College MA Harvard University
Middle	Social Studies	Judith Conway	4	BA University of Mass.
Memorial	Principal	Thomas Deffley	14	AB Univ. of Notre Dame M.Ed. Springfield College
Middle	Art	Maria Gerardi	1	BFA Mass. School of Art
High School	Music-Band Director	Anthony Hyde	21	BA/MA Boston Conservatory
High School	Home Economics	Nancy Levesque	6	BS Framingham State
Middle	Mathematics	Mary Lou McKay	7	BA Regis College
High School	Mathematics	Dorothy O'Donnell	2	BS Framingham State
High School	Director of Guidance	Peter DePaolo	19	BS/ME Worcester State
K - 12	Psychologist	Jane B. Rogers	4	BA University of Mass. MA Farleigh Dickinson
K - 12	Reading Coordinator	Edward Sacco	13	BS/MS Northeastern

DOROTHY T. THUMITH

1905 - 1980

Dorothy T. Thumith was a life-time resident of Millis, attended Millis Public Schools and graduated in 1922.

She served as Secretary to the Superintendent of Schools from 1947 until her retirement at the end of 1969. Her devotion to the Millis Public Schools will be remembered.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
FY 1981

		APPROPRIATED	EXPENDED	BALANCE
TRANSPORTATION				
1/1/80	Balance	42,974.77		
	Transfer-In	+12,500.00	54,724.12	(750.65)
7/1/80	Appropriation	86,964.00	24,770.72	62,193.28
TEACHERS SALARIES				
1/1/80	Balance	1,453,394.09		
	Transfer-Out	–31,075.00	1,416,556.09	(5,763.00)
7/1/80	Appropriation	2,200,860.00	693,754.00	1,507,106.00
OTHER SALARIES				
1/1/80	Balance	196,127.88		
	Transfer-Out	–8,050.00	185,637.88	(2,440.00)
7/1/80	Appropriation	365,618.00	162,407.00	203,211.00
CAFETERIA				
1/1/80	Balance	10,720.44		
	Receipts	200,164.79	201,364.95	9,520.28
EXPENSES				
1/1/80	Balance	274,865.32		
	Transfer-In	+25,340.00	299,213.32	(992.00)
7/1/80	Appropriation	707,817.00	309,366.76	398,450.24
OUT-OF-STATE TRAVEL				
1/1/80	Balance	1,299.40	669.40	(630.00)
7/1/80	Appropriation	2,300.00	375.00	1,925.00
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION				
1/1/80	Balance	11,528.00		
	Transfer-Out	–11,340.00	188.00	.00
7/1/80	Appropriation	2,586.00	177.00	2,409.00
SUMMER RECREATION				
1/1/80	Balance	101.18	.00	(101.18)
7/1/80	Appropriation	.00	.00	.00
ADULT PRACTICAL ARTS				
1/1/80	Balance	1,975.68		
	Receipts	1,393.00	2,813.93	554.75
7/1/80	Appropriation	1,200.00		
	Receipts	3,966.45	4,310.75	855.70

		APPROPRIATED	EXPENDED	BALANCE
ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION				
1/1/80	Balance	3,430.12		
	Receipts	1,774.60	5,204.72	.00
7/1/80	Balance	.00	.00	.00
	Receipts	4,135.40	3,376.43	758.97
ESEA TITLE I				
1/1/80	Balance	16,930.76	15,481.79	(1,448.97)
7/1/80	New Grant	27,901.50	11,348.41	16,553.09
ESEA TITLE IV-B				
1/1/80	Balance	4,316.46	4,316.46	.00
7/1/80	New Grant	7,933.00	.00	7,933.00
ESEA TITLE VI-B				
1/1/80	PL 94-142	26,691.56	26,602.19	(89.37)
1/1/80	PL 89-313	1,700.00	1,644.59	(55.41)
1/1/80	Incentive Grant	7,200.00	6,326.00	(874.00)
7/1/80	New Grant PL 94-142	43,800.00	13,890.15	29,909.85
7/1/80	New Grant PL 89-313	5,950.00	243.60	5,706.40
PL 94-482 GRANT OCCUPATIONAL EDUCATION				
79-187-505-242-3		7,220.00	7,149.45	(70.55)
79-187-505-243-3		1,254.00	1,254.00	.00
400-061-81-018-73		6,337.00	.00	6,337.00
SUMMER RECREATION FOR HANDICAPPED				
1/1/80	Balance	835.60	.00	(835.60)
7/1/80	Appropriation	3,000.00	136.46	2,863.54

REIMBURSEMENTS FROM JULY 1, 1979 to JULY 1, 1980

School Aid Fund – Chapter 70	769,567.00
Aid to School Construction – Chapter 645	52,286.00
Aid for Pupil Transportation – Chapter 71	23,939.00
Sections 7A, 7B, 16C, 37D	31,444.00
Aid for Tuition & Transportation – State Wards	4,740.00
Aid Food Services – Chapter 538 & 500	13,217.00
Aid to Occupation Transportation – Chapter 74	986.00
Aid to Special Education Recreation – Chapter 71B	863.00
	897,042.00

CONTRACTS BID AND AWARDED DURING THE YEAR BY THE MILLIS SCHOOL SYSTEM

Buckley Heating, Inc. – #4 and #5 fuel oil for all buildings	
Powers Regulator Co. – maintenance on clocks and bells	$ 1,446.
H.D. McFetridge Trucking Co. – rubbish and trash removal at three schools for a five day week	2,365.
Commonwealth Thomas, Inc. – school bus	23,598.
E.B.I. Electronics Service – maintenance on language labs	1,345.
Honeywell – temperature control system	5,674.
Honeywell – maintenance on heating equipment	5,348.
Safety Signal Alarm – maintenance on alarm system	756.
Garelick Dairy – supply half pint cartons of milk as per specifications	.13738 ea.
Paul's Distributors, Inc. – ice cream items for all schools	
John J. Nissen Baking Company – certain bread items for all schools	
Alberts Bakery – certain bread items for all schools	
Savin Business Machines – maintenance on photocopiers	1,370.

REPORT OF TRI-COUNTY REGIONAL VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

The year 1980 was a landmark year inasmuch as it was the year that Tri-County graduated its first class. To be sure, it was a memorable occasion for the graduates, but particularly satisfying to the Committee as the attainment of another major goal. In retrospect it was a good year.

We were pleased to note that on a daily basis adult residents of the district visited Tri-County and very often commented on the high morale of students and staff. More than at any time in the past a certain pride has been in evidence and an indication that school can be an enjoyable place in which to work and learn.

Realizing that a full accounting is not possible in the space allowed, this report will, as in the past, attempt to inform all residents regarding the activities and achievements of Tri-County as they relate to students and educational programs.

Vocational Department

All of the vocational areas have been involved in expanding and increasing both the amount and type of work that assists towns in the district. Of significant note has been the complete remodeling of the old town hall in Franklin. This project perhaps best exemplifies the collaboration of several shops working under the direction of one. Plant Maintenance students coordinated the efforts of Plumbing, Electricity, Painting & Decorating, Carpentry, and Masonry. The latter two departments have also worked closely in completing two storage buildings for the Town of Millis.

The interior walls of Tri-County display the skills of students in Painting & Decorating and these murals add greatly to the bright and exciting atmosphere of the school.

Cabinetmaking and the Metal Trades continue to produce quality items that are sold at a considerable savings to residents of the district through the D.E. school store.

Because of these experiences that closely simulate the real world of work, students in the vocational programs enjoy the success and benefits of employment.

Technical Department

Many areas in the technical department continue to service the members of the district communities. Various groups and organizations utilize the Cosmetology Salon, the Culinary Arts, and the Graphic Arts Departments.

A new dimension has been added to the Child Care Program. Twice a month a group of toddlers ranging in age from eighteen months to thirty months spend an hour of pleasant interaction with Child Care students.

Commercial Art has also been able to expand its curriculum through a generous government grant for the development of a "Multi Image" production program.

A close working relationship has been established with Digital Equipment Corporation in anticipation of the completion of the Digital plant in Franklin. Four students in the Electronics course are involved in a co-operative work experience at the Maynard facility.

The technical programs have gained stability and strength in the three years of Tri-County's operation. This past year has been a time of building and expanding on that foundation in order to offer students the diversity of skills to make them employable.

Academic Department

The academic curricula continues to prepare students for both a future in the work place as well as a post secondary education. The graduating class of 1980 saw 13% of its members enter a post secondary educational program of study.

Two areas of major impact this year were the Reading and Basic Skills programs. Our Reading program has demonstrated significant impact on the reading comprehension level of those students participating in the program. The Basic Skills program has brought together students, parents, teachers, and employers for the purpose of reviewing existing curricula and contributing input toward curricula revision. All freshmen students will be tested in the Fall to determine their competence in the basic skills areas of reading, writing, and mathematics. The results of this testing, along with continued community involvement, will assist in determining the future course of our academic curricula.

Special Needs Department

The Special Needs program at Tri-County has continued to implement Mass. Chapter 766 and Federal Law P.L. 94-142, by providing a free and appropriate public education for pupils enrolled at Tri-County.

There has been some continued expansion of the program with the addition of another special needs teacher and a teacher aide. Another avenue of expansion was to begin work with some member communities in the development of some occupational training options for special needs students outside of Tri-County.

Job placement of students enrolled in substantially separate programs has begun with three pupils placed in co-op jobs. They will receive supervision on the job from their employers and from the school to assure a smooth transition to the world of work.

We are looking forward to the addition of a vocational resource teacher in January of 1981. This position is being funded with federal vocational education funds and should be a welcome addition to our staff. This will allow for additional assistance to vocational teachers in working with special needs

students. The key to effectiveness of the special needs program is directly related to the success of the regular education program. The more that can be done to assist the classroom teacher, the more successful all pupils will be.

Guidance Department

The Guidance Department has presented slide-sound depicting Tri-County programs to all Grade 8 students in the nine town district. Applications were processed and 300 Freshmen were accepted in September for the 1980-81 school year. Tri-County now has 1196 students in Grades 9 through 12, 62 of which are residents of the Town of Millis.

Of the 240 June graduates, 14 were from the Town of Millis and of that number 13 have been employed and 1 has gone on to higher education.

The Cooperative Education Program which allows seniors, who have a B average or better, to work in their Trade or technical skill every other week has averaged 100 students each year.

This program benefits both the employer and the employee. The Co-op program involves all programs at Tri-County except Cosmetology students who are not eligible because of hourly requirements.

Tests available to students at Tri-County are: The Armed Services Aptitude Test Battery, PSAT's, SAT's, Massachusetts Basic Competency Tests, and the SRA Achievement Tests.

The school immunization records of new students were reviewed under newly enforced regulations of the Department of Public Health. No students were exclused for failure to comply with these regulations.

Tuberculosis screening by Mantoux testing was given to ninety-eight employees whose test dates had expired. Ten students enrolled in the Child Care Program were also screened.

Mrs. Gallishaw, school nurse, is preparing for the implementation of a newly mandated postural screening (Scoliosis) program which will begin in the Fall of 1981.

Adult Evening Program

Nineteen trade preparation and trade extension programs were offered to over three hundred district residents. Of that number, 21 were residents of Millis.

Most courses operated for ten weeks, three hours per night, two evenings a week. Some of the more popular programs are in session for four nights weekly.

Junior Prom – 1980

The Junior Prom, held May 8, 1980, at the King Philip Ballroom, Wrenthan, was attended by more than 235 people. Students, faculty, staff, and school committee members danced from 8:00 p.m. until midnight with music

provided by "Horse". The theme, "Let It Be", was the background for the choosing of the Queen and her court of five Princesses. The second annual Tri-County Junior Prom was an event immensely enjoyed by all who attended.

Career Education

The career education laboratory was very active this year. Approximately 3,000 students from Tri-County and the member towns have used the facilities and the MOIS computer for occupational information. In addition, a career day was held for 1700 eighth grade students. Eighteen companies participated in a job fair at Tri-County last April. The object was to encourage employment of graduating seniors at our school and the six towns that participated.

It is with a deep sense of regret that we announce the resignation of Mr. Loring Maxwell, Area Coordinator, and the person most responsible for the many services provided to member towns by the career education lab.

At this time, it appears that impending financial constraints will not allow us to continue this innovative and valuable service.

Jewelry Program

An evening jewelry skills training program was completed this year. Thirty-five students participated in this course which provided training in hand engraving, patternmaking, or stone setting. The program was funded by a vocational education grant of $43,000; an additional grant of $8,000 has been received to commence a day program.

C.E.T.A.

Four C.E.T.A. training programs were completed during the year. Programs after school hours were operated with Hopedale C.E.T.A. funding in Plant Maintenance and Welding. These courses had twenty-four participants. Summer programs held under the auspices of Norwood C.E.T.A. provided training for twenty individuals in Electronics and Machine Operation.

Student Advisory Council

The sixteen members of the Student Advisory Council at Tri-County have had a busy year representing the students before the school administration and the school committee. Representatives have attended the SAC meetings in West Boylston monthly and participated in leadership training sponsored by the Mass. State Department of Education. The representatives were responsible for organizing and overseeing class elections, selection of DAR Good Citizen, Tri-County student identification cards, plus other activities. Together with the class officers, they established an annual School Spirit Award. This award will be presented annually to the class that has the most school spirit.

Graduation

Tri-County hosted the family and friends of the graduating class on June 6, 1980. Two hundred forty students received diplomas and trade certificates from Mr. Hoegler, Chairperson of the '79-'80 School Committee. The music was provided by the Southeastern Mass. Community Concert Band and

Mr. James Hall was the soloist. Sharon Courtney of Franklin was the valedictorian and Reverend Griswald of Walpole gave the Invocation and Benediction. Several scholarships were presented to those students continuing their education.

Distributive Education Student in National Competition

Tri-County, which has only been active in the Distributive Education Club of America for three years, was honored to have a senior, Kristin Williamson of Medfield, represent the school at the National D.E. Conference held in Miami, Florida during the week of June 20, 1980. This is the first time that Tri-County has ever been represented by a student in an educational competition on a national level.

Both written and oral activities tested the students' knowledge in Mathematics, Management, Sales, and Human Relations. She was also able to meet and socialize with leaders in the business world.

The guest speaker at the banquet was Frank Borman, President of Eastern Airlines and former Apollo astronaut. More than 5000 students representing every state were present to hear his address.

Drama Club

The Tri-County Drama Club, under the direction of Ms. Rogier, Mr. D'Attilo, and Mr. Conley, presented a one-act play entitled "Home at Six" for the student body on May 7 and 8, 1980. Student performers were from the Senior class only, but in future years the drama club will be open to all grades.

The set for the play was designed by the Plant Maintenance Department and was constructed by students in the Painting & Decorating Department. Cosmetology students took on the responsibility for stage make-up; and for costumes, the Drama Club enlisted the aid of students enrolled in Fashion Design.

Athletic Department

Tri-County Athletic teams participated in a variety of interscholastic sports, competing in the Colonial Athletic League. This league is comprised of a number of regional vocational schools. The 1980 sports calendar has been an exciting time period for the still developing sports program at Tri-County. There were many individual and team accomplishments during the 1980 sports campaign.

Individually many athletes excelled in their fields. Jim Thomas of Walpole and Paula DeRois of No. Attleboro were named to the Colonial League's All-Star Basketball teams. Jayne Clive of Medway displayed her fine talents, finishing in the top ten in the 300-yard dash during the Mass. State Track and Field Championships. Peter Rogers of Medfield became the first athlete at Tri-County to have his number retired by the school. Peter let the state in scoring, was named to many of the area's all-star teams, and was the topic of a feature article which appeared in the Boston Globe.

Team honors in 1980 were captured by the Soccer, Cross-Country, and Spring Track teams. Each team finished first in league-sponsored championships, bringing to Tri-County the school's first championship banners.

The Boxing Program hosted the East Coast Junior Olympic Championships last Spring. Tri-County boxer Troy Roberts competed in the finals of his class-weight only to lose an exciting match.

On the intramural level, Tri-County students and faculty members participated in tournaments in volleyball, softball, and badminton.

Bloodmobiles – 1980

Tri-County has been actively supportive of the American Red Cross by hosting two bloodmobiles during the 1980 school year. The regularly scheduled blood donation drive in February resulted in 95 pints of blood being collected. An emergency request before Thanksgiving was well received by the staff and students and 69 pints of blood were added to the depleted supply of the Northeast Region.

New Officers

In July 1980, the School Committee reorganized and Mr. John Hurley of Medway was elected Chairman. Mr. Sidney F. Hatch of Walpole was elected Vice-Chairman and Mr. Frank DeLucia of Franklin was elected Secretary.

New Energy Conservation Controls

After a thorough investigation, Tri-County installed a micro-computer which automatically monitors existing heating, cooling, ventilation, and lighting equipment in various locations throughout the building to predetermined settings.

The computer stores up to seven days' history on building energy consumption, temperatures, and actual per hour costs of operation. A visible check is readily available showing increased consumption and costs in any section of the building which is indicative of waste or malfunction of equipment.

The computer is monitored by a separate relay circuit which answers fail-safe operation. The relay circuit automatically returns all controls to normal settings in the event of computer failure.

Site Improvement

During the month of July 1980, Tri-County School Committee advertised for bidders to install drains around the school football field, prepare the running track for resurfacing, install new track, and reshape several slopes.

Seventeen construction companies submitted bids. The Narragansett Improvement Company of Providence, Rhode Island was awarded the contract as low bidder. Work began on August 23 and was completed in mid-October.

Budget

For the second consecutive year, the assessment to the Town of Millis has been reduced. In Fiscal Year 1980, the assessment was reduced by 36.2% and again by another 19.2% in Fiscal 1981. These unusual reductions, in a time of severe inflation, were primarily the result of school aid being received over and above the normal reimbursement amounts. The present assessment of $92,710.63 to the Town of Millis represents a real per pupil cost of only $1,495.00. We are pleased that the cost is far below any other regional vocational school in the Commonwealth; however, we do feel an obligation to inform you that, because reimbursement monies will be much less in future years, assessments will be higher.

In conclusion, we wish to express our sincere appreciation to all residents of Millis for your support of vocational technical education and to assure you that this Committee will continue to provide the best possible educational services at the least possible cost.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN C. HURLEY, Chairman
ROBERT W. McDONOUGH, Millis

JURY LIST – 1980-1981

Allen, Judith	Nurses Aide
Anderson, Petronella	Electronic assembler
Bacon, Barbara	Nursing assistant
Beaton, Andrew, Sr.	Store manager
Bergeron, Lawrence	Electronic engineer
Bertolino, Stephen	Repair technician
Bicknell, Betty	Head cashier/bookkeeper
Bond, Robert	Booth and equipment cleaner
Bouret, Janet	Waitress
Braman, Robert T.	President-manager
Brightman, Robert	Driver salesman
Bruno, Pauline	Dental receptionist
Buker, William L.	Bank branch manager
Burnett, Lillian F.	Parts clerk
Burnett, Philip	Field service supervisor
Burns, John	Real estate broker
Cannon, Edward	Customer service manager
Carman, Michael	Mechanical design engineer
Carr, Hanford	Account manager
Carr, Nancy	Housekeeper
Carter, Mary	Sales
Cassidy, Terrence	Farm boss
Chaplowe, Joyce	Real estate broker
Clegg, Richard H.	Salesman
Cooney, Allan	Part-time store clerk
Coulter, George M.	Business manager
Davis, Carol	Housewife
DeAngelis, George	Foreman
Derr, Monica	Unemployed
DiDonato, Glen	Materials handler
Dognazzi, Joan	Electronics assembler
Dognazzi, John	Boiler and machinery inspector
Donald, Richard	Machine operator
Draper, Paula	Manager, trainee
Dwyer, Patricia	Secretary
Dziurdz, Amy	Nursing student
English, Carmen	Department head
Fortier, Denise	Senior accounting clerk
Gagne, Keith	First cook
Garland, Harris	Painting contractor
Generazio, Bennett R.	Millwright
Gessman, Elliott L.	Senior engineer
Goldberg, Mary E.	U.S. postal service
Goldstein, Abbott J.	First assistant manager
Grady, Maxwell	Land clearing – owner
Grogan, Grace M.	Drill operator

Halper, Hazel	Accountant
Hillier, Arthur	Chemist
Hines, Mildred	Data transcriber
Hoffman, Francis	Chemist
Howard, Carole H.	Senior chemical mixer
Howe, Harold	Radio repair technician
Ingraham, John	Assembler
Joyce, Herbert	Truck driver
Kelley, Stanton	Security aide
Kujanpaa, Gladys	Bookkeeper
Leiby, Lee F.	Engineer
Lichman, Craig	President
Lyons, John J., Sr.	Area supervisor
Mael, Jay S.	Accountant
Magi, Ragnar	Assistant treasurer
Main, Gertrude P.	Housewife
Main, Stephen H.	Cook
McCarter, Douglas	Building repair
McDonald, John	Retired
McHale, Marilyn	Supervisor of operations
McMullin, Alice	Retired
McNutt, Marion E.	Housewife
Moore, Kevin C.	Farmhand
Moran, Marie C.	Retired
Morey, Charles	Painter
Morrissey, Thelma G.	School bus driver
Murphy, Barbara	Factory worker
Nirenberg, Barney	Retired
O'Brien, Christopher	Cafeteria supervisor
O'Leary, Daniel	Customer representative
Orlando, Ambrose J.	Office sales and shipper
O'Rourke, Kevin P.	Restaurant clerk
Owens, Linda	Staff secretary
Pinkham, Sandra	Sales
Powell, Jay R.	Engineering supervisor
Priest, Douglas	Department manager
Quinn, Patricia	Computer operator
Schulz, Kermit B., Jr.	Heating contractor
Sexton, Virginia	Switchboard operator
Sheehan, John F.	Proof runner
Sherman, Donald E., Jr.	Mechanic
Sherman, Frank J.	Plant supervisor
Sjorgren, George C.	Sales administrator
Sluicer, Janice C.	Project administrator
Squier, John K.	Operator – service station
Stevens, Jean	Housewife
Stockbridge, John	Truck driver
Strickland, David	Project manager

Tamuleviz, Charles A.	Student
Trowbridge, Mary	Unemployed
Warren, Laura J.	Assistant manager
Weeks, Janet	District sales trainer
Wenger, John	Trainman
Whitecross, Marjorie	Retired
Wye, Marlene	Cafeteria worker
Yered, Virginia J.	Sales clerk
Yorio, Ilene E.	Service coordinator
Zalvan, Robert	Fork lift operator

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EMERGENCY – DIAL 911

(FOR AMBULANCE, FIRE AND POLICE EMERGENCY CALLS ONLY)

	TELEPHONE
AMBULANCE	
Emergency	911
All other business	376-5112
FIRE DEPARTMENT	
Emergency – to report fire	911
All other business	376-2361
POLICE DEPARTMENT	
Emergency	911
All other business	376-5112
CIVIL DEFENSE	376-2787
ACCOUNTANT	376-5408
ASSESSORS, Board of	276-8467
CLERK, Town	376-8011
DOG OFFICER	376-2247
HEALTH, Board of	376-2394
HOUSING AUTHORITY	376-8181
INSPECTORS	
Building)	
Wire)	376-4040
Gas and Plumbing	376-2394
(If no answer)	376-2634
LIBRARY	376-8282
NURSING SERVICE, Bd. Health	376-2394
PUBLIC WORKS, Dept. of	(376-5424
	(376-5777
RECREATION DEPARTMENT	376-5681
SCHOOL, Health Services	376-8933
Transportation Dir.	376-5087
SCHOOLS	
Clyde F. Brown	376-8050
Senior High	376-2912
Memorial	376-8681
Middle	376-8221
Superintendent	376-2934
SELECTMEN, Board of	376-2634
TAX COLLECTOR	376-5029
TREASURER	376-8759
NO SCHOOL SIGNAL – 2-2 (3 times)	
6:45 7:00 a.m. All schools - no school	
11:00 a.m. No afternoon kindergarten	
NO SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENT	
(recording)	376-5087